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INTERESTING FROM WASHINGTON.

The California Overland Mail Route—Naval Changes—Reorganization of the New Constitution in Nicaragua—General Jerez—The British Naval Forces and the Filibusters, &c.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Nov. 1.

Mr. BUTTERFIELD is here, seeking military protection for his Overland Mail route, but the Administration are little disposed to grant it, there being neither men nor money available for such a purpose.

The Naval Officers detached from the steamer *Niagara* are ordered to report for duty on board the steamer *Generale*, lying at New-York.

Commodore Glynn and Lieutenants Cyrus, Rabbett, Stanford and Jones are ordered to the steamer *America*. Lieutenant-Commanding Maury and Lieutenants Minor, Farquar and Guest, are ordered to the *Minnesota*, at Pensacola.

Lieut. MAURY returns to the Coast Survey duty, when he becomes the guest of the city by invitation of the Mayor.

Dispatches received here state the people of Nicaragua have ratified the new constitution with wonderful unanimity and great rejoicings. The badges which had been previously worn to distinguish the contending factions, were torn from the lappels and button-holes and trampled in the dust. President MARTINEZ promptly tendered his resignation, which was not accepted. This he will again do when the regular Congress assembles, an extra session of which will be called. The meeting of the several Presidents of the Central American States will meet in Guatemala in January, at which General LAMAR says he will be present by express invitation.

I mentioned in my dispatch that Gen. JEREZ had determined to leave for Nicaragua. This conclusion was in consequence of a desire to settle our Nicaraguan matters in the speediest way. Had he waited here for instructions, any arrangement he then made would have been sent back for ratification. The understanding now is that he will bring the treaty in a form acceptable to our Government already signed and ratified. This view met the approval of the State Department, and it is now anticipated that the return of Gen. JEREZ will result in a complete arrangement of all outstanding difficulties.

I am assured that the British Government has given no orders whatever to their officers to interfere with American ships having on board either filibusters or Nicaraguan emigrants. Such a thing would not be permitted by our Government. What it is supposed England would do, *if called upon by Nicaragua*, would be to land troops to "protect the Transit," under the provisions of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, and, as a consequence, to expel the invaders. This would be a nice point between the two Governments, but it is not considered clear that we should have a right to object to England, or any other power, rendering assistance against invaders, when called on for such assistance. The question may open a wide field for diplomatic discussion.

It is rumored here that Mr. BUCHANAN has written a letter to the Hon. ESTEVAN CERAZNO, saying that should he be defeated for Congress, he shall be tendered the Treasury Department, now so ably presided over by Mr. COBB. Such is the talk among the *quid nunc*.

The Hon. J. GLANCY JONES has fixed no time for his departure, as the State Department has as yet given him no intimation when he will be expected to leave. He says he is ready to obey orders. Should he be detained here during the Winter, he will not resign his seat in Congress, but serve his term out. Q.

[FROM THE REPORTER FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, Monday, Nov. 1.

Mr. BUTTERFIELD, President of the California Overland Mail Route, made application to-day for protection through the country traversed by their stages, from Indian incursions. The Secretary of War gave him a most cordial reception, congratulated him on his success, and assured him that military protection should be afforded at as early a day as possible. Troops will probably be concentrated at Fort Smith, in considerable numbers, and be moved in suitable detachments to the exposed points.

This important movement of the Government will open all Texas and Arizona to settlement. The forces so successfully fighting the Camanches are to be promptly reinforced by a regiment from Fort Leavenworth, with the view to compel them to sue for peace. Improved arms, similar to those which were so effective at Washington and Oregon, will be forwarded to Fort Smith. The President favors the protection of the mail and emigrant route from Indian attacks.

Mr. BUTTERFIELD left for home this afternoon, greatly pleased with the comprehensive plans of the Secretary of War. He will soon start for Memphis, Little Rock and Fort Smith, to see whether that route cannot be greatly improved. The Postmaster-General is satisfied the mails can be carried to California in twenty to twenty-two days, as soon as the War Department shall bring the Indians along the route under control.

The Patent Office, in October, issued six hundred and fifty-nine Land Warrants under the act of March, 1855, to satisfy which about 100,000 acres are necessary.

Mr. ISAAC HOLLAND, Doorkeeper of the United States Senate, died to-day.

The following officers have been ordered to the steamer *America*: Commander, Joseph H. Green; Lieutenants Cuyler, Belknap, M. P. Jones, Adams and Greer; Engineers, De Luce, Snyder, Whiteker, Develin and Brown.

The following have been ordered to the steamer *Mississippi*: Lieutenant Commanding, Maccrab; Lieutenants More, Fairfax and Cilley.

Both the above vessels are for the Paraguay expedition.

J. H. Rathbun has been appointed Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps, *vice* Payne, dismissed.

Lieut. Maffit has been ordered to the Coast Survey.

Lieut. Livingston, of the Navy, has resigned.

Explosion on Board the Steamer Alice Price—Six Persons Injured.

HIGHLANDS, Monday, Nov. 1.

The steamer *Alice Price*, of the Shrewsbury line, burst her chimney at the Ocean House at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The engineer, two firemen, and four passengers were scalded.

OCEAN HOUSE, Monday, Nov. 1.

I have just visited the steamer *Alice Price*, and find, on inquiry of the Pilot, that the disaster to the steamer was caused by the bursting of the steam chimney from an imperfect sheet of iron. The scalded and injured were: WEEKS, the engineer, badly, two firemen slightly, four passengers and the stewardess. The passengers' names are: Captain ROBBINS, Mr. LOW, of the Phalanx, *N. J.*, Mr. LUTHERY, and a lady, all of whose hands were scalded.

The boiler was examined and found full of water, and a passenger says she registered only 25 pounds of steam at the time of the accident. No blame is attached to any one. She was commanded by Captain JOHN ROBBINS, a very careful man. The steamer *Highland Light*, Captain HENRY PARKER, came by and took the wounded and passengers to New-York.

Arrival of the California Overland Mail.

ST. LOUIS, Saturday, Oct. 30.

The Overland Mail from California, with dates to the 6th of October, has arrived here. The dates are anticipated via the Isthmus. The mail arrived within the schedule time. Three passengers from California came on the train.

Southern Steam Steerage Movements.

SAVANNAH, Monday, Nov. 1.

The United States mail steamship Alabama arrived hither at 12 o'clock last night. All well.

Affairs in New-Jersey.

THE MEEKER WILL CASE—MILITARY PARADE IN NEWARK.

At the opening of the Court this morning, Hon. A. O. M. PRANNEROW, counsel for defence in the Meeker will case, asked the Court to be allowed time to prepare the bill of exceptions which he had taken, and move for a new trial. Thirty days were granted by the Court.

The Court of Over and Terminer is now in session.

The full parade of the Independent Essex Brigade, Gen. THEODORE RUNYON, took place this morning. This brigade is composed of the First Regiment of Infantry and Artillery, Col. TRAVER, and the Second Regiment Rifles, Col. PARKER. About six hundred men were under arms. At 10 o'clock this afternoon, the brigade were reviewed on the Military Park by Governor NEWELL and staff, after which a general inspection of arms took place. The display is brilliant, and attracted a large number of spectators.

Mexican News by the Southern Mail, etc.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Nov. 1.

New-Orleans papers of Wednesday last, containing Vera Cruz dates to the 23d of October, are received.

A rumor was current in Vera Cruz that CASS, the commander of ZUZAGA's forces near Orizaba, had received orders from the City of Mexico to join ZUZAGA at Jalapa.

It was reported that General DEGOLLADO, Commander of the Constitutionalists, entered Guadalajara on the 5th of October.

The *Soldier Official*, of Zacatecas, announces the town of Lagos taken by the Constitutionalists from Zacatecas and Nuevo Leon.

The steamship Quaker City, left New-Orleans on Wednesday, the 27th ult., for Minatitlan to open the Tehuantepec route. Many applications were made for through passage to San Francisco, but only a few were accommodated.

Yellow Fever at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, Monday, Nov. 1.

The deaths by yellow fever in this city for the week ending on Saturday were 26.

The Yellow Fever at New-Orleans—The Epidemic Ceased.

NEW-ORLEANS, Monday, Nov. 1.

The Howard Association close their labors this day, the fever being no longer epidemic.

E. F. SCHMIDT, President.

Yellow Fever at Savannah.

SAVANNAH, Monday, Nov. 1.

The number of deaths in this city, yesterday was seven, of which four were from yellow fever.

Thanksgiving in Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Monday, Nov. 1.

Governor STEWART of this State has appointed Thursday, the 25th of November, as a day of thanksgiving.

City Intelligence.

Board of Aldermen.

SPECIAL MEETING IN RELATION TO THE RUMORED INDICTMENTS.

The Board of Aldermen held a special meeting at 1 o'clock yesterday, for the purpose of considering upon the course most proper to pursue in relation to the rumored indictments against the members of the Common Council. The object of the meeting was stated by Alderman ADAMS, who thought the movement had originated in a desire to injure Alderman CLANCY's chances of election as County Clerk.

It was said, (so he understood,) that the indictments had been found in consequence of the action of the Common Council, some time ago, granting land to the Catholic Orphan Asylum; and he believed the District-Attorney was doing his utmost to push the matter.

Alderman MCGRATH spoke at some length on the purity of motive by which the Common Council had been actuated in making that grant.

Alderman CLANCY had been somewhat surprised when he heard of the matter. He looked upon the whole movement as a transparent effort to injure his prospects of election.

Alderman BOEHM said he had been informed that the indictments were all ready, but thought they should not be acted upon until after 3 o'clock. The Board then adjourned to 5 o'clock, and the understanding was that there would not be a quorum present.

At 5 P. M. there were but two Aldermen present, Aldermen TUCKER and LYNES, and of course there was not any business done.

NO QUORUM.—The Councilmen attempted a meeting last evening, but failed of a quorum.

THE NIGHT BEFORE THE ELECTION.—It is a surety that there has not for years been a night just previous to an important election during which there was so little apparent excitement as was visible after sunset last evening. Those most immediately interested as candidates, or the personal friends of candidates, were busy in private places preparing their tickets and instructing those employed to urge them upon the people. There was an unusual—an unnatural calmness in public places generally; even the bar-rooms were not crowded. The rule appeared to be that for once the inevitable topers were obliged to work for candidates' rum before drinking it; so that they, too, were off, however unwillingly, binding the mysterious little bundles with bands as flexible as their consciences. Hardly a bonfire blazed in honor of any man; the general doubt as to who would win, seemed to have engendered a parsimoniousness in the dispensation of the article tar, that sent hosts of vagabond boys home to their kennels in unmitigated disgust. It was only in the lower districts, and here and there in the Eighth, that the atmosphere was thick and black, as if his majesty had been taking part in the performances and burnt his wool-ens, in the undue excitement of the occasion. There were but few public meetings and but little talking. Early in the evening a band of Italians with handsome banners, on which Italy and the Hon. DANIEL E. SICKLES were inscribed, and Mr. C. E. WEDGEWOOD was ranched for as a "gay boy," visited Mr. SICKLES at his head-quarters, corner Park-place and Broadway, and, finally, by cheers and cries, succeeded in getting that gentleman in front of his hotel, where, after presenting them with a handsome banner, he polished off FERDINANDO WOOD to the delight of his audience. General WALBRIDGE, from Civil "night" since the commencement of the campaign, to the amazement of all, did not have a ratification meeting. In Mr. FARRAR's district there was an occasional effort to disparage the quality of his last Winter's soup, and to cry up Alderman STEVENS as the poor man's real, original Jacobs, but there was not much noise. The lungy gentlemen were reserving their powers for to-night. In HORACE F. CLARK's district, all parties seemed to think they had something better to do than loiter around corners. There were some tar-barrels burned, but principally by boys and the keepers of corner groceries. Elsewhere all was quiet and serene.

SEIZURE FOR VIOLATING THE REVENUE LAWS.—The old schooner *Madison*, formerly connected with the United States Coast Survey service, and which has recently been sold, was seized on Saturday, while on her way eastward, by Lieut. D. J. KELLER, of the revenue-cutter *Washington*. The parties who had her in charge, not having obtained the proper clearance, laid themselves liable to have the vessel seized. She was accordingly pursued as far as Greenwich, Conn., where she was overhauled and boarded. As the Captain could show nothing but a bill of sale, the vessel was brought back and anchored in Buttermilk Channel. The Commander of the cutter reported the case to the Collector. The case appears to have been one of stupidity, or of mere oversight on the part of the persons employed to convey the vessel to Salem, where the owners lived. The vessel having been purchased of the United States authorities, they supposed they would be permitted to remove her to another District without taking out papers at this Custom-house. There is no reason for supposing that the vessel was intended for the Slave-trade, as was absurdly reported by a City paper yesterday.

A NEW ORDINANCE FOR THE HACKMEN.—A new law, for the regulation of that much-abused class of our citizens, the hack-drivers, who we fear have deserved all the abuse they have ever received, has been passed by the Board of Councilmen, and will doubtless be approved by the Aldermen. One of the regulations of the new ordinance requires every driver to wear a badge, which is not a matter of much importance, except that it will lead to the identification of any one who misbehaves himself when he is not in his box; but a more important provision is that which compels the driver to present a card to each fare, containing his number, address and rate of charges. As the ordinance has been approved by a Committee of Hackmen, thought to be such a one as they will be able to obey. If we must have hackmen, it is very well to have a new ordinance for their regulation, but the best thing for the public would be to abolish them altogether, and to substitute cabmen in their place.

REVIEW OF THE SIXTY-NINTH REGIMENT.—The Sixty-ninth Regiment, or that portion of it which has been doing guard duty at Quarantine, was relieved yesterday by three Companies of the Fifty-fifth Regiment, viz: Company B—Captain JOHNSON; Company G—Captain HARDER, and Company K—Captain ROSSER. The detachment under the command of Colonel LE GAL paraded at 10 o'clock A. M., passed down Broadway in admirable order, followed by their baggage train. About 1 o'clock, the Eleventh Regiment Rifles, Colonel BEDWICK, which was designated to do the return escort-duty to the Sixty-ninth, passed down to the Battery, and there awaited the arrival of the regiment from Staten Island. The Fifty-fifth were received at the Quarantine Encampment with all the honors, the retiring regiment, which has been highly complimented for its soldierly conduct during its stay upon the Island, being very willing to resign the honors of the campaign to their successors. The Fifty-fifth took up their quarters inside the walls which were vacated by the Sixty-ninth, and immediately instituted the rules of the camp. As they passed upward on the beach, they were complimented with the usual salute. On arriving at the Battery, they were received by the Eleventh Regiment, and escorted to their armory. As the two regiments entered the lower part of Broadway, they met a funeral procession, headed by the Protestant Association Lodge No. 19, and both regiments were drawn up in line, at shoulder arms, until the cortege had passed. Their marching was excellent, and it was remarked, exhibited the advantage of the drilling they had enjoyed at the encampment.

BAYARD TAYLOR AT MOSCOW.—Clinton Hall was not half large enough to hold the crowds that pressed at the door (or admission last evening. It had been announced that BAYARD TAYLOR would there deliver the first lecture of the course before the Mercantile Library Association, commencing at 8 o'clock. More than an hour before the hour named the audience began to assemble, and soon the hall was so full that it seemed impossible that more should enter; still, people continued to press in at the doorway; chairs were placed in the aisles, and discomfort was contracted into unheard-of compactness to make "room for one more." On an already crowded seat at this juncture, a gentleman advanced on to the stage, and a welcoming murmur was audible among those of the audience who were not acquainted with the appearance of BAYARD TAYLOR. But the greeting was changed when he announced that the meeting was adjourned to the Cooper Institute because Clinton Hall was not large enough. Then there were hisses from those who, by coming long before the appointed hour, had secured the best seats, and now would be behind those nearest the door in the rush for Cooper Institute. Thither instantly all hurried; such a scrambling, pushing, and getting down the stairs that lead to the subterranean lecture-room, no religious anniversary, no political meeting, held there, has yet seen. The large hall was soon filled, and even the seats on the stage were occupied by the audience, when, at ten minutes past 8 o'clock Mr. PETER COOPER came forward and expressed his regret that the steam-heating apparatus that warmed the hall was not in working order. At length, after all this trouble and delay the innocent cause of it all was introduced, and stood with manuscript in hand, and head inclined, until the applause with which he was greeted had subsided. "MOSCOW" was his theme, and he introduced it by relating the story of the King who attempted to outdo Solomon in sylendor; how he expended his treasure in beautifying his city, and when he had built him a magnificent palace found his wealth exhausted and the cap tile on the roof still wanting; how he seized a gold plate which hung around the neck of an orphan boy that he might complete the unfinished edifice, and how court and king were annihilated to punish the injustice of the Ruler, and the city removed to a distance, where Arab tradition says it still stands, and travelers gaze upon its splendors from without but no mortal is permitted to enter. So to the traveler approaching it for the first time, seems the City of Moscow. After traversing a dull monotonous country, where, journeying for days, one began to think that there were no trees but birch and fir trees in the world, and the smallest hills appeared like Alps, suddenly the scene changed, and, standing on the brow of one of the hills which overlook the city, a dazzling sight burst upon the view. Thousands of gilded domes, pink, blue and yellow towers, green roofs—these were the prominent features of the scene. Mr TAYLOR dwelt upon the peculiarities of the Ancient Capital—its public buildings, its size—greater than that of Paris, and scarcely less than that of London—the labyrinthine streets, and the variety of architecture and street scenes. "No one," said he, "but one of the oldest inhabitants, can tell what a street may bring forth in Moscow,"—the curious, varie-colored towers of the Cathedral of St. Basil, "the apotheosis of chimneys," the fondness for gaudy colors displayed by the inhabitants in the decoration of their houses, which caused Moscow, amid the snows of Winter, to resemble "a turbaned Oriental smoking his pipe on an Arctic block of ice;" the habits of the peasantry and society among the "upper ten;" Summer and Winter enjoyments in Russia; the advance of civilization, and increased circulation of newspapers in Moscow. The ancient city, he said, would always reflect the character of the people—would always be the illuminated index of the country.

COLUMBIA COLLEGE.—Prof. DWIGHT, who has been called to the head of the Law Department of Columbia College, made a most successful *début* last evening in his introductory lecture at the Historical Society's room. He was greeted by a most flattering audience, numbering among them the President of the Society, the Hon. Luther Bradish, Bishop Whitehouse, Judge Conklin, late Minister of the United States to Mexico, and by the United States Judge of the Northern District, Justices Bosworth, Davies, Daly, Mitchell, Clerke, Woodruff, Pierrepont, District-Attorney Blunt, Wm. C. Noyes, Esq., and two foreign jurists of renown, Messrs. Spilthoon and Matile. The beginning was very auspicious for the College. Prof. DWIGHT is to be followed on Wednesday next, at 8 o'clock, by the Hon. Mr. MARSHALL RYSWYK, whose subject is the "English Language," a magnificent theme, and he is the man to do justice to it. The College is fortunate in securing such professors.

SPECIAL POLICEMEN AT THE POLLS.—Fifty Special Policemen have been appointed from each Ward, to assist in preserving order at the election polls to-day. The Police Commissioners met yesterday, and perfected the appointments. The Specials appointed receive no pay from the City, but, as was the case last year, rely on future voluntary contributions for indemnity for their service.

FRENCH LITERATURE.—We call attention to the advertisement of the Rev. Mr. MIEL's course of lectures on French literature, which will commence at his house, No. 144 Eleventh-street, to-day. These lectures consist of discriminating and eloquent criticisms of the leading French authors, and are delivered in the French language. A more desirable opportunity for those who are anxious to acquire a facility in the use of French cannot be found. Mr. MIEL is one of the most scholarly and eloquent representatives of the pulpit orators of France.

STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION.—The *Alice C. Price*, while leaving the dock at the Ocean House, yesterday about 11 o'clock, burst her steam chimney, seriously scalding her engineer, three firemen, and several others of the crew and passengers. Some of them are believed to be fatally injured. There was great confusion, of course, some even jumping overboard to escape the cloud of steam. Passengers on board the *Highland Light* say they saw the steam thrown out from the top of her smoke-pipe over an hundred feet high, while the boat was scarcely visible, so completely was she enveloped. The passengers as well as the injured were brought to this City by the steamer *Highland Light*.

FAIR OF THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY.—A Fair for the benefit of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, a charitable Association of laymen for the relief of the sick and poverty-stricken without distinction of creed or birth-place, was held in the City Assembly rooms during the past week, and closed on Saturday night. It is estimated that the visitors numbered thirty thousand. The contributions were exceedingly liberal, and the net proceeds are reported to be unusually large.

GETTING BLUE.—The pump handle aches again at the hands of the milkmen. The specific gravity of "pure country milk" has marvelously diminished again of late, and the distillery stables that were almost tenantless in June, are about as full as ever. It is time for another raid of the artists.

NOT BY SIGHT.—Last year, men who stood at the polls found the glass ballot-boxes a great convenience—the differently colored tickets showing for themselves pretty clearly how the candidates were running. The glass boxes being laid aside this year, patience must work by faith rather than by sight.

COLUMBIA COLLEGE.—INTRODUCTORY LECTURE.—Last evening an introductory lecture was delivered in the hall of the Historical Society, by Professor TUNNICLIFF, on "Municipal Law; the Best Mode of Acquiring a Knowledge of it." The discourse formed the commencement of a course in the law school of Columbia College, and was attended by about a hundred gentlemen. President KING introduced the lecturer in fine and appropriate words, alluding to the liberality of the Historical Society in the free use of their building. The lecture was instructive and comprehensive in its sketch of municipal law, and was heard with attention.

REPORT OF MCCONNER, MATE OF THE SLAVER HAINES.—McCONNER, mate of the ship *Haides*, sunk off Montauk Point in September last, and who, while his trial on a charge of having been engaged in the Slave-trade has been progressing, has been confined in Bridge-street Jail, made his escape Sunday night, by scaling the rear wall, and has not since been heard of.

FRUITS OF THE LAWS PRIZE FIGHT.—The late prize fight between Morrissey and the Benicia Boy has not yet become a fruitful topic of conversation among "sporting gentlemen." In Broadway drinking saloons, expensively dressed men with mammoth gold chains, and in the newsy and idle streets, "Hoss" with his watch chain, dangling to make pungent criticisms and drink cozy whisky punches over the matter. The excessive friends of the combatants are so warm in their partisan enthusiasm that it is not unlikely serious quarrels if not fistic encounters will yet ensue. At Sol. Kipper's, in Broadway, Sunday morning, one of the friends of calling Morrissey a coward, near Drake, a particular friend of Hickman, ventured a caution regarding the manner of the prize fight. Cunningham said Hickman was a coward, which Drake indignantly denied. Cunningham repeated his statement, and Drake reiterated his denial. Presently Cunningham, if is said, pulled out two loaded pistols, and told Drake to take his choice, and have an immediate settlement on the spot. Drake refused the offer, but before the settlement of the difficulties, according to the "code," friends interfered.

The above latter being satisfactorily adjusted, a fistic battle by the longest-winded boxers of Philadelphia and City, in Cunningham and Hickman's place, if not, which was at once agreed to. The stakes were made and the necessary preliminaries were settled, and the time and place of meeting agreed upon. For convenient reasons, the parties were not on hand at the stipulated time and place. It is said that an adjournment was agreed upon.

Police Intelligence.

BILLY MULLIGAN COMPLAINS OF BEING BEATEN AND ROBBED.—A Two-sold Story.—Billy Mulligan, who was victorious in his recent scrape time since upon Capt. Webb, at the Metropolitan Hotel, and who was victorious at his trial at the Court of General Sessions an easy fine of $2 50 comprising the extent of his punishment—who was victorious in lining his pockets with the proceeds of successful bets at the late prize-fight on Canadian soil, and who has been victorious in an indefinite number of genuine, hard-fought battles, has at last, according to his own frank confession, found a victor. The confession was made yesterday, the confessional being the Tombs, and the father confessor Justice CORNELIUS. At a little before 3 o'clock Mulligan entered the notable granite structure dedicated to Justice, to which reference has been made, accompanied by two friends. The magistrate was busy disposing of the case of an audacious hackman, who had spoiled the countenance of a respectable-looking country gentleman for refusing to countenance his exorbitant charges. Seeing his distinguished visitor, he cut short the story of the rural gentleman with the spoiled face.

"What is the matter now?" inquired Mr. CORNELIUS, blandly smiling.

"Matter enough," responded Mulligan, with a profoundly serious look, "see these cuts and mark marks; (pointing to his face;) there is a model of a finger for you," (holding up the little finger of his right hand, minus the dealy termination.)

"I see; I see;" sarcastically ejaculated the Justice.

Mr. Mulligan proceeded to tell his story. On Saturday evening at 11 o'clock—so opened his recital—he was passing leisurely through Prince-street. Just after he had crossed Thompson-street he was suddenly attacked, was struck several violent blows over the head, and his gold watch snatched from his pocket. With one hand he took hold of the scut collar of his daring assailant and with the other took hold of his watch, thinking to put the case in the Station-house and the other in his pocket. His assailant would not yield up the watch, and with equal persistency refused to go to the Station-house. He continued to "punch" the impudent fellow with his fists, when the latter retaliated by biting him in the face and chewing the end of his little finger. He gave the name of his assailant as Patrick Irvin.

Following the statement and accompanying "exhibits" of Mr. Mulligan, the magistrate issued a warrant for the arrest of the alleged assailant. The officer in whose hands the warrant was placed, found Irvin, and the Justice forthwith required him to find bail in $2,000 upon two separate charges—assault and battery and grand larceny. Failing to procure the stipulated bail Irvin was committed to the City Prison, where he still remains in close custody.

Irvin—he is an Irishman, giving his age at 25, and business house-painting—tells a story very different from Mulligan's. He says that on the night in question he was going to his residence in Prince-street, near Thompson. When within two doors of his house he saw Mulligan talking to a woman. Hearing a noise he stopped an instant, when Mulligan in a rough manner told him to "move on." He disregarded the injunction and immediately Mulligan's right fist was in his face. He struck back the best he could and shouted, "Police." An Eighth Ward officer soon arrived and arrested Mulligan. He went to the Station-house intending to enter a complaint of assault and battery. Mulligan begged him hard not to press the complaint, and a mutual agreement was made to let the matter drop.

AN IRATE POLITICIAN PRACTISING WITH A REVOLVER.—Francis Duffy and John Carpenter are residents of the Tenth Ward, and differ with regard to local politics. About 2, yesterday morning, they met on the corner of Grand and Essex streets. An altercation commenced and soon merged into a fierce combat. Duffy was getting the worst of it, when he drew a revolver and commenced shooting at his antagonist. He fired two shots, but they took effect only on Carpenter's garments. A Tenth Ward Officer promptly made his appearance, arrested both parties, and took them before Justice STEERS. They were each held to bail in $500 to keep the peace.

ARREST OF AN ESCAPED CONVICT.—Jeremiah Dunham, a stalwart Irishman, was sent to the Penitentiary on Blackwell's Island some two months ago, on a charge of assault and battery. To vary the monotony of Penitentiary life he stole a row-boat, hoisted in a sloop, some tools and chisels, picks and other industrial implements as cargo, threw himself in after them, and pulled vigorously skirting the coast. He landed safely at one of the upper docks of the City, sold his sloop, dodged his pursuers, and, rejoicing in his and hands in the Tombs. Wednesday he was preparing to make himself useful on a steamer, when an officer arrested him. He was taken back to his old quarters yesterday morning.

ARREST OF PHILADELPHIA SHOPLIFTERS.—A full cargo was received by Captain Dowling on Saturday from Philadelphia, consisting of a quartette of men and two women, who would probably arrive in the evening train from that city, and asking their arrest for shoplifting. Captain Dowling and two officers were in waiting on the arrival of the train. The parties described took a carriage, and, with their baggage, were driven to a house in Seventeenth-street, near Eighth-avenue. They had hardly entered the house and shaken the Pennsylvania and Jersey dust off their garments before the officers arrested them. They were taken to the Station-house, and on overhauling their trunks about $900 worth of dress silks, jewelry and furs were found. The prisoners were locked up to await the action of the Philadelphia authorities. The man gave his name as Peter Finn, and the women the names of Mary Finn and Margaret Ryan. They refuse to give any account of themselves.

FOUND DROWNED.—The body of an unknown man was found, on Saturday, at the foot of Jay-street. He was well dressed, about 35 years of age, of medium height, with blue eyes, curly hair, and side whiskers. The initials "H. F." were marked on a fine white handkerchief, and may possibly lead to his identification. Coroner HILLS held an inquest on the body, and no marks of violence being found, a verdict of "Supposed drowning" was rendered.

Coroner's Inquests.

THE FATAL ACCIDENT ON THE SIXTH-AVENUE RAILROAD—GROSS CULPABILITY SOMEWHERE.—A brief paragraph appeared in yesterday's TIMES, announcing that a man named TERRY JACKSON was run over on Sunday evening, by a Sixth-avenue car, near Forty-seventh-street and instantly killed. The report was that the deceased was a poor drunken wretch, and that his death was only to be attributed to the liquors he had drank and his excessive carelessness. The deceased proved to be Mr. JACKSON, the well known inventor of the "Hotel Annunciator" in such popular use at leading hotels, a highly respectable and upright man. He has left a wife and interesting young family at his late residence, No. 51 West Thirty-first street. Coroner HILLS repaired to the house yesterday to hold an inquisition, but owing to the absence of material witnesses, adjourned the case till to-day. The driver states that he did not see Mr. JACKSON at all, and that the first intimation he had of the accident was feeling the cars passing over something. Large quantities of building materials are on the side of the track where the accident occurred, which the driver says prevented him from seeing Mr. JACKSON. The inquisition will doubtless show whether the accident is attributable to recklessness of the driver, to private contractors for illegally piling up the street, or to the agents of the Corporation for allowing such unlawful encumbrance of a public thoroughfare.

DEATH IN A STATION-HOUSE.—At a late hour Sunday evening the Second Ward Police found a man ill in the street, and conveyed him to the Station-house. A police surgeon was called and attended upon him, but he died at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. He proved to be DAVID FINN, an Irishman, 40 years of age, who had just secured a passage to Liverpool on the ship *Isaac Wright*, intending to visit his friends in the old country. A draft for $315 26 on the Bank of Ireland was in his pocket, and this led to his identification. An inquest was held on the body, and a verdict rendered in accordance with the facts stated.

SUICIDE BY DROWNING.—The body of HENRY WALKE, a German, nearly 20 years old, was found yesterday in the dock foot of Fifty-second-street, North River. His clothing was found at an early hour in the morning on a pier adjacent, and at once identified. It is supposed that he drowned himself, and family troubles are alleged as the cause. An inquest was held, and a verdict of "suicide by drowning" rendered.

Fires.

IN BROADWAY.—About 9 o'clock yesterday morning a fire occurred in the furniture warerooms of Mr. C. A. SCHMEASE, on the second story of No. 412 Broadway. The fire was caused by the explosion of an alcohol lamp. Mr. SCHMEASE in endeavoring to extinguish the flames, burned his hands and feet severely. The damage was $100. No insurance.

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[illegible] Miss Jewsbury has [illegible] by bestowing a little [illegible] upon her unpretending volume, for the revelations she makes are [illegible] confined to the ways of [illegible] the people of Germany [illegible] their habits, laws, customs, [illegible] and costumes, the Germans at [illegible], at weddings, funerals, christenings and festivals; German vintages, German [illegible], kitchens, work-shops, fields, gardens, [illegible], gardens and studies; Germans [illegible] in the country, form, the [illegible] Miss Jewsbury's charming sketches [illegible] the very [illegible] and how to [illegible] the art of [illegible] [illegible] We [illegible] could have written [illegible] Domestic Life in Germany, [illegible] have been impossible for any man [illegible] have gained that view of the interiors of German homes which Miss Jewsbury had the privilege of enjoying, and we doubt if there be [illegible] women of her abilities who possessed the courage and perseverance to accomplish what she did in the [illegible] of her object. She left New-York [illegible] any attendant or companion, and [illegible] unacquainted with the language of Germany, with the determination of studying German life in the homes of the people; but a [illegible] of her beauties and accomplishments [illegible] herself wholly to the uninteresting and coarse society of the peasantry. [illegible] to observe "life among the people" is that phase of German social existence [illegible] an episode of her most instructive volume, and we should not have discovered [illegible] special purpose to depict the peasant life of Germany exclusively, if the title of her work did not convey that idea. [illegible] directly from New-York to Bremen, and landed in that quaint but thrifty little city without having the rough edge of her New-World prejudices blunted by any preparatory glimpses of European life. The change from New-York to Liverpool is not a very violent one, but to go from New-York to Bremen is [illegible] from one extreme of existence to another, [illegible] are surprised, therefore, that Miss [illegible] at once so many things that struck her as "funny," (sic,) and that [illegible] she could do nothing [illegible] wonder, be bewildered that she was not capable of seeing anything or [illegible] of comparing one thing with another." But this state of bewilderment wore off after a while, and she soon began to make good use of her eyes and her note-book, and she seems never again to have suffered from the same cause, or at least we infer that she did not, from her total self-possession, and the shrewd observant sense which she exhibits in her remarks. There is some confusion in her descriptions, not owing to their indistinctness, or want of what critics call filling-in, but from a neglect to state to what localities they apply. In her first chapters, for example, she gives a [illegible] description of her first impressions of [illegible] end of a Sunday pic-nic; but [illegible] to indicate the locale of her observations. We are at liberty to select the location ourselves: it may have been Bremen, as it may have been Frankfort. As it was her object to see the inside of Germany, she allowed no opportunity to escape for accomplishing her purpose, and no over-strained delicacy prevented her from asking the privilege of looking into kitchens, garrets, cupboards, clothes-presses, water-closets, or anywhere else in which she imagined there might be [illegible] in the dark, or overgrown with cobwebs, [illegible] characteristic of the country she came to inspect and describe. What struck her most forcibly at first was the incongruity between the sense of the beautiful which was displayed in public places and the externals of private life, and the squalid discomfort and positive dirtiness of the domestic life of the people. Strangely the reverse of this she had expected to find in America.

[illegible] says, [illegible] people of rank we can think of [illegible] public. The great food is earth[illegible] the top, each [illegible] and the next door is that of the kitchen, so that we cannot understand how people think of eating and living there a [illegible]

According to Miss Jewsbury's observations in Egypt of Germany. It was [illegible] that she was shocked to see, [illegible] two-legged-looking women harness in the fields, driving horses and oxen, and carrying heavy burdens through the streets. One who had lived long at Cassel told her [illegible]

[illegible] every day, not at public, but at the [illegible] cause for which they [illegible] wretched must be their poverty. [illegible] by the roadside, in the fields, [illegible] market, we can hardly believe they are women. More and more are we bewildered as we pass [illegible]

But that which she saw then, and which so pained her fine American sensibilities, was nothing but the coarse exterior of female life in Germany. She soon learned how much more degraded and painful were the morals of these degraded women. But Miss Jewsbury did not go prowling about looking for disagreeable objects; she had no theory to establish, no any Anti-Germanic prejudices to justify. Her sole object was to see things as they were, and to describe truly what she saw. She omits no opportunity for dashing off a graphic little sketch-sketch of pleasant scenes which she encounters them, and her canvas is relieved by a good many brilliant little figures and glimpses of golden scenery which she found in her rambles. Here, for example, is a bit of description as full of color as one of the sun-lit groups of Dyck:

"A troop of Bohemian girls among the shadows of the forest is still more picturesque; their dress is [illegible] to correspond, and nothing is left to the imagination. Among the gaudy spinning and chatter, [illegible] Agnes is conspicuous by a turban of one [illegible] of many colors, leaving uncovered only a few [illegible] of her raven hair; a short dress of [illegible] color, reaching to the knee, and white [illegible] to correspond, allows the active limbs to be [illegible] in the exercise, as it does in all [illegible] Bohemian, the latter [illegible] only a small part of the back and [illegible] covered. These lovers are in [illegible] and white stockings, [illegible] black, a red, or blue, or yellow [illegible] embroidered. Before [illegible] by hell, there is something [illegible] of the Black Princess and the [illegible] of Little Rosie. There are a [illegible] of color and richness of tint, that tell us [illegible] were transplants in another land, where they [illegible] not, rather, they take root, and no degree of [illegible] has destroyed their [illegible] grace which characterizes [illegible] of many children."

The English papers have recently given a speculation of a most degrading habit which prevails among the better classes of German [illegible]

[illegible] the Times [illegible] of the German Bishop [illegible] Miss Jewsbury [illegible] to these [illegible] of the Germans, though she does not appear to have heard of the complaints in the London journals. She says:

"At a watering-place we were beyond endurance annoyed by the stares. If resting in some quiet nook, a troop of men would pass along and keep upon us one uninterrupted gaze, looking back over the shoulder, after having passed on.

'What are they who stare so?' we ask. 'Do they belong to the rank of gentlemen, who are guilty of such rudeness?'

'Yes,' she says, 'in Germany it is always the gentlemen who stare; in other countries it is the gentlemen who do not.'

Never, among the meanest and rudest in young America, did we see such impoliteness. Almost every day, she would come in convulsed with laughter, because she had interrupted some gentleman at his observations through a key hole, and in many rooms she found holes made with gimlets for the same purpose. She had been much in England with ladies at such places, and never once saw anything like it; and we are sure every room at Saratoga and Newport may be inspected, without such a discovery."

It is not at all strange in countries where the men lack gallantry the women should lack chastity. Miss Jewsbury says:

"The young girl whom we met in Winkle, and who had been our traveling companion, told us many things we should scarcely dare repeat, and should not expect to be believed. She has said that the chastity of many young girls was, that they were kept under this restraint without being told the reason, and excluded from temptation without knowing why, and when obliged to go into the world to take care of themselves, they have no moral strength. She said, in one town, where she was in the Spring, after her arrival from America, there was a confirmation in her church, and three hundred girls were to be confirmed, who were from 14 to 16 years of age, and when the examination came only 16 could be admitted to the church by this holy rite; all the others were, at this early age, fallen women. We could scarcely believe our ears, and should not have credited the statement if we had received it from one who belonged to a different communion, but our informant was a member of the same church, and a most earnest defender of her faith. It was in the same village that we afterwards heard a bell ringing through the street. On looking out, we saw a man patrolling the town with this singular music, and she said it was the custom throughout all this province when a young girl had gone astray from rectitude, and had concealed her sin instead of confessing it to the priest as required, for the police, as soon as they ascertained the truth, to take a bell in this way and ring it through the town, calling the name of the guilty one, and proclaiming her fall. One would think a woman needed no such herald to proclaim her shame, especially when no means are used to ascertain her accomplice, but this is the way of the world where men rule.

We remarked to a lady that in the country in America, among respectable families, these misfortunes seldom happened. 'Why,' she exclaimed, 'and here so often?' But the unfortunate are not hurled down to infamy so irrevocably as with us. Ladies in cities who need nurses, prefer this class, and they have no difficulty in finding employment, and cases are known to occur of girls wishing to make this their profession, and voluntarily passing through the degrading ordeal which alone can fit them for it.

In some provinces at the north, the law requires that the son who is to inherit the farm, shall also be a father, and in these cases marriage is not consummated till a child is born, and a woman must not expect to be made the lawful wife who is not first a mother.

In the little town of Goar it has been the custom for three hundred years, to collect the young girls upon one plain and put them up to the highest bidder—the whole lot for fifty dollars—and then each was separately. A man having bought and paid for one, she is subject to him for a year, and must, during that time, be his partner in the village dances, or at least dance with no one else, and consider herself at all times at his disposal when required for his gratification."

As to German art our authoress has a good, sturdy, practical American appreciation of the value of much of the tinsel trumpery that passes under that name. "We have said, and we repeat," she remarks with honest vehemence, "that this excessive patronage of the fine arts and sensuous indulgence obtained by continual contemplation of this species of beauty is relic and evidence of barbarism rather than superior civilization." And she finds abundant evidence of the truth of her startling remarks in artistic Bavaria.

"In Munich, the *home of the arts*, the homes of the people are most uncomfortable, and it is proverbial that they seldom invite strangers to enter their doors, they are so ashamed of the best accommodations they can offer. They have not the least idea of comfort, and the humblest class of mechanics, and even laborers in America, would not think such tenements habitable, as people of rank here eat and drink, and sleep in all their lives content. If you stay a week, you will sleep in a room bare of everything you have been accustomed to consider necessary to daily use. A rude pitcher containing a pint of water will be thought sufficient for your ablutions, and such a convenience as a slop-jar has not entered into the catalogue of the chamber furniture of the highest dignitaries, and we venture to say there is but one in Germany, and that owned by an American lady, who sent to England, and paid ten dollars for one. You will have one towel a week, and one pair of sheets a month, with the upper one sewed to the quilt, as you will find it also in the common inns of Hungary and Wallachia. Table furniture and table etiquette will be such as would surprise almost any greenhorn of Yankeeland for its rudeness. Alas! how little those who *go abroad*, and spend a day in one city and a day in another, staring at palaces and wondering at collections of fine arts, know of the hands they visit, and how little capable are they of judging of their own. These people who cannot furnish you with what you have deemed necessary to the common decencies of life, and have enjoyed without thinking of them, will parade you through *Glyptothekes* and *Pinacothekes*, by which barbarous names the King of Bavaria has christened his salons for the reception of pictures—lead you a promenade in public gardens, where you see plants and flowers of all climes, and hear the music of all the spheres, and then return to their homes which they reach by ascending dark, filthy staircases, to sit upon uncushioned chairs, walk upon uncarpeted floors, and be lighted to bother beds by tallow candles, and expect you to commend their superior refinement and civilization.

We fear that our bold and inquisitive countrywoman will be regarded by the Germans as an American Trollope; but if they will only read what she has written about them, though they may be angry at her exposure of their little foibles and infelicities of housekeeping, we are very sure they will be profited by her remarks. To those who have never visited Germany her book will impart a livelier idea of the ways of the people than could be gained by the perusal of a hundred German novels. But to us, with whom the German element forms so important a part of our population, the minute information which Miss Jewsbury gives us of the Germans in their native homes, is in the highest degree valuable and interesting. It will be a very great mistake to infer, from the extracts which we have given from her book, that there is any want of sympathy or genial appreciation of the German character in her remarks; on the contrary, she appears to have a genuine kindness for the people, and to regard the country with fondness. But her American pride seems to have been rather rudely assailed by disparaging remarks about her own country, and she was driven to an exposition of German peculiarities, which have an unsavory odor, in self-defence. For example:

"They have the idea not only that ladies in America know nothing of *great stacks of fine linen*, but that they have no linen at all. They have heard that a marriage outfit consists of two night-gowns, four *Hemden*, three pair of stockings and twenty-four silk dresses! We are afraid some of them do provide these things in this proportion; but, on the contrary, the American lady's wardrobe is more complete than a German lady's. We have never seen in Germany the longest dressed, gave unparalleled English, French and American ladies. The peasantry do not wear night-gowns or night-caps, though they wear white caps all day; and the young ladies when at their work don the peasant Bible Sister. But the rule is and is not, the peasant Bible sorted, ruff gathered into a [illegible] band, which they be found. If [illegible] very plain, they have also, a three-cornered kerchief crossed over the bosom, and a coarse *Nachthemd*, made something like a gentleman's shirt. They pronounce the rule as well too warm, and very extravagant. They could not afford such fine dresses by night; but in many cases we should have preferred to spend in this way, the money which they devote to embroidery upon the bottom of their skirts and trimmings upon their street dresses."

What could have been more womanly and natural, than that she should retort upon such an imputation on the *trousseau* of an American bride, by informing the world that German women do not wear night gowns? And, in respect to the boasted superiority of German Education, she says:

"We are continually taunted with the reproach that Americans are without education, without appreciation of the fine arts; that money is their God. To which we could reply (and probably the data that there is more really valuable education in one State [illegible]

[illegible] the departure of a family of emigrants for America, is one of the most interesting characteristics in it. Her testimony to the German character is, on the whole, flattering, notwithstanding all the unpleasant revelations she makes of the German at home, and she is not loth to see so many of the people crossing the Atlantic to become residents and citizens of this country.

"Having," she says, "for a year and a half very diligently studied the German people, we are ready to say, 'good speed to every shipload that sails across the water.' They will not be all worthy people, as so many from any country cannot, but the greatest proportion will become so, and even those that Government and friends pay for going, to get them out of the way, have some inducement to reform, and are quite as likely to become good as to remain bad."

There are many pleasant little episodes in the volume descriptive of social life in Germany, amusing narratives, quaint traditions, and romantic stories, and, on every page there is something to arrest the attention and afford amusement, if not instruction. There is a want of method in the arrangement of the matter, and some confusion is occasioned, as we have already mentioned, from a neglect to locate her descriptions. The use of the editorial "we" instead of the personal pronoun in the first person singular, produces an awkward effect, for after the author has informed us at the outset that she traveled alone, it sounds oddly for her to use constantly the imperial "we."

MASSACHUSETTS.

The Closing up of the Contest in Massachusetts—The Congressional Canvass in Several Districts—The Schoolmaster at Home—The Dead Alive, &c.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

BOSTON, Saturday, Oct. 30, 1858.

A "few last words" will sum up the state of the political field here, just previous to the time of voting. This is virtually the last day of the contest, Monday amounting to nothing, and on Tuesday we vote—such of us as shall not stay at home. The whole vote is variously estimated. The highest figures are 150,000, and the lowest 135,000: but 140,000 appears to be the favorite number, which would be a fair increase on last year, but still much short of what we can do.

Two or three American candidates for Congress have been added to the list of that party's nominations. Mr. TEMPLE is up in No. 8, but he cannot injure Mr. TRAIN. In No. 6 Mr. LORD has been placed in nomination, and though not precisely selected by Americans, he has accepted the American platform, now that they have discarded secret action. He made a capital Republican speech at Salem the other day, when accepting the nomination tendered him, so far as national politics go, condemning "popular sovereignty" in strong terms; but as he was quite as pointed in his denunciation of the removal of Judge LORING, he cannot be supported by those who wish well to Governor BANKS, and the Republican Party is firm in upholding the Governor in all points. Mr. LORD's nomination is expected to prove more injurious to the Democratic candidate, Dr. LORING, than to Mr. ALLEN, who carries the Republican flag; but, practically, it cannot have much effect one way or the other. Out of our own two districts, I see no reason for doubting the election of all the Republican candidates, by the most decisive votes that could be reckoned upon in ordinary circumstances. Others, however, think Mr. ALLEN is in some danger of defeat.

As respects the Boston districts, the contest in No. 4 is virtually between Mr. PRICE and Colonel THOMPSON, and the election of either of these gentlemen must be a Democratic defeat, as both are opposed to the Administration. Yet as between the two the Democrats are represented to have a preference, which causes them to lean towards Colonel THOMPSON, but Democrats seldom leave their own candidates for those of other parties, and I cannot, as yet, believe that any large number of them will leave Mr. WALDRON, who is a fair man, for the sake of supporting an opponent of their party. Still, enough of them may do it, under the supposition that Colonel THOMPSON is at war with the Republicans, who are their foes.

Of No. 5 there is nothing new to say. The contest goes on there with much vigor, and it is a fact to be noted that there should be any doubt as to the result. Mr. BURLINGAME should be returned with no more than a formal contest, but the battle is anything but a formality. It is a passage of arms with sharpened words and grinded lances, and many fear the worst, in view of the energy of the Democrats.

The Faneuil Hall meetings have been well attended this week. Wednesday evening the Republicans crowded it, to hear Gen. WILSON and Mr. HAMLIN, the special purpose being to give Mr. BURLINGAME a lift, and very good lifting he had. Thursday evening the Democrats had a meeting there, and were addressed by that veteran member of their party, ex-Gov. GARDNER, who assailed Gen. WILSON and Mr. BURLINGAME in very choice blackguardism. It was ungrateful in him to attack the latter, who made him Governor four years ago; but that's the way his used-up and expended ex-Excellency always rewards his friends. He announced, by authority, that Col. HEARD was in favor of a protective tariff, and also was an anti-Lecompton Democrat. This statement would not have been believed on the utterer's words, his assertions being held to be "Dick Talbot's truths," which were so like unto lies that no one placed any faith in them; but a respectable Whig, who presided, having indorsed the statement, it passed current, and, like TIMOTHY MOREAU, will last until after election.

The Democrats have set up a school for the improvement of their Irish friends in the useful arts of reading and writing. It would be a capital subject for the caricaturists, that of such men as Colonel HEARD, Colonel GARDNER, Mr. HALLETT, and other portly, good-looking Democrats, instructing the "better citizens" in the key of knowledge. The teaching is so good that only five persons have been turned back for deficiencies, and, no doubt, they'll be fixed before the 2d of November. The Democrats have got ahead of the Republicans in No. 8, in getting voters on the list, to the number of 300, which may make the difference between defeat and victory. In 1856, Mr. BURLINGAME was aided by a portion of the Irish citizens of the District, but I cannot learn that there is any division among them now. "The Irish Brigade" is apparently united, and means to make a Fontenoy of the battle—if it can. If BURLINGAME should be beaten, it will be the work of the Irish, and they will not gain much by their conduct. Much money has been spent in this contest, not less than $50,000, and probably more. Nothing like this ever before happened in Boston, and it shows how much our election contests have changed in character.

The town has been a little amused, this week, by the appearance of a political address, signed by eleven score of respectable gentlemen, who call themselves Whigs, and who speak of the resuscitation of the Whig Party as soon to happen, but who are now doing what they can for the Democrats. There is nothing improper in what these gentlemen have done, but it has an egotistical appearance, and the public long since came to the conclusion that the Whig Party, if not dead, was engaged in a snooze, likely, in depth and length, to rival that of the venerable firm known as the Seven Sleepers, all the members of which were sleeping partners. The absence of certain names from the list, like the absence of the images of Brutus and Cassius from the funeral procession of Junia, attracted more attention than did the names that were appended to the address. The effect will be unappreciable, for every man who signed the paper has only told the public how he means to vote, and so he would have voted if the address had never been thought of. If it be true, as is asserted, that some of the signers have been dead and buried for a considerable time, it will be the duty of the officers to see that their ghosts do not vote by proxy.

There is a report that certain live Whigs intend to come out with an address in reply to the dead men's tale, and to "cut up" the latter, as capital specimens of morbid anatomy, but nothing of the kind has yet appeared.

There is a quarrel among the Republicans of the Lowell Senatorial District, which is expected to lead to the election of Gen. BUTLER, the Democratic candidate, who runs for the Legislature as well as for Congress. It would be well for the Legislature to have some able lawyers in it, as the revised statutes are to come before it, and thus far the amount of legal talent bespoken for the work is not large in any sense. The Republicans of one of our Boston districts tendered a nomination to Judge GURNEY, in the hope of securing his services, but he would not accept the nomination; and this action of theirs, showing as much desire to promote the general good, has brought upon them the charge of impudence, from old Whigs!

To sum up the condition of things here—Governor BANKS, and all the other persons whose names are on the State ticket, will be chosen; nine of the eleven candidates of the Republicans for Congress will be chosen, unless something should happen in No. 4; in the Fourth and Fifth Districts the result is doubtful; the Legislature will contain a large majority of Re[illegible]

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THE WAR.

New French Consul—Frenchmen Treated in England—A Queer Affair.

From the London Times, Oct. 18.

Vicomte F. DE MARCOUSSY comes to us from the polite land of France, where ALEXANDRE DUMAS discovers exact reviews for the achievements of historical duellists, and where the writers in the comic papers find it necessary to keep their swords brighter than their wit. His name might adorn the traditions of the Regency, and he writes himself "Ultra *Dragon*." What he does in England we are not told. His father exercises the office of French Consul at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and perhaps the *dragon* is a clerk in the paternal Consulate. It would appear that the Consul entertains more than one of these illustrious *dragons* under the paternal roof, and that it is the instinct of the *dragon* to cultivate the possession of large walking-sticks and small pocket-pistols. Now, it happened that in this town of Newcastle certain borough elections arose, as in this country of uneasy institutions will often happen; and it also occurred that MARCOUSSY *père* either did or did not canvass the householders of the ward of Westgate. An illustrious mill he is, this populous island—there was a newspaper in the town, which issue incensed in that happy system of managing the Press which obtains in M. le Vicomte de MARCOUSSY's native land. It is very probable that the newspaper went it rather heavily for some particular line not well understood by us, and the proprietor of the journal [illegible] Consul interfering in English elections. We must assume that this was so, for, although the ancient Gentility possessed did not himself constitute the *dragons*, his offspring, were proved to dance indignation, and the Vicomte, mindful, no doubt, of the history of his ancient house and of the times of Louis XIV., determined upon a *dragonnade* against the heretic press of Newcastle. Wiping his pen and inking his desk, securing the manifestoes and shipping lists, and other *memorabilia* of the Consular bureau, he loaded his pocket-pistol and poised his thick stick, and set off upon his enterprise. His adventures wanted only the addition of a tame eagle to make them worthy of history. With the dignity of a hero in a Christmas pantomime, he presented a card at the office of the obnoxious journal, commanding the Editor to come up to the smoking-room of the Exchange Hotel, unless he preferred to be horsewhipped in his own house. The Editor, knowing nothing of this hostile *carte*, and happy in the meditation of future articles at his own private residence, put in no appearance at the appointed whipping-place. Then the Viscount went forth in his wrath. Pistol in hand, he entered the outer office of the journal, and terribly frightened two lads engaged in the peaceful process of folding the newspapers. He penetrated even to the Editor's *sanctum*, and dreadfully alarmed the small boy who was making the place tidy. Balked in his great revenge, he lurked about for his victim until, under terror of the pocket pistol, one of the lads told him where the private house of the editor was. Thither he proceeded, forced his way with heroic resolution through the opposition of the maid-servant, and, stationing his brother, the younger *dragon*, outside the editor's chamber, he burst in upon the astonished journalist. He cocked his pistol, and he talked French with an uncomfortable rapidity, and he kept his trigger finger on the trigger, and the muzzle against the right eye of his victim. The literary culprit was not invited to defend himself or to take another pistol and retire to a gentlemanly distance; he was simply told that he was about to be shot dead. Looking down the barrel with an interested and inquisitive eye, the editor became aware of the presence of a dull half sphere of lead: the reflection suggested by this object was a little illogical, but, under the circumstances, not very unnatural. "I saw," he says, "that if he did fire I should never know what hurt me." The consolation inspired by this idea appears not to have been sufficient to reconcile the victim to his fate. He expostulated, explained and submitted. The heroic French nobleman, happily gave clamor in the assurance of his victory, and, the Editor having now surrendered at discretion, the two *dragons* took their prisoner away to the den of the old *dragon*. The editor at length found himself in the presence of the French Consul, with his brains in their accustomed receptacle, and relieved from the uncomfortable propinquity of the pocket pistol.

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The Election To-Day.

The political contest, to-day, is likely to be unusually earnest and animated. Both parties strive for prestige rather than immediate power. Both look rather to the effect of the result upon the Presidential election of 1860, than to the offices which it will immediately place at their disposal. The Republicans are well organized, energetic, resolute and confident of victory. This, of itself, gives them a very decided advantage in the contest. The Democrats are divided, and evidently not very confident of success. Nine-tenths of the Democratic Party in this State detest the Lecompton policy of President BUCHANAN, and resent his attempt to enforce adhesion to it as a test of party fidelity. The canvass to some extent has been made to turn upon that issue. Judge RUSSELL, the Democratic candidate for Governor, has defended and sustained that policy, and caused it to be understood that his election will be considered a Lecompton victory. He has thus done the utmost in his power to secure his own defeat, for a large portion of his political friends are more earnest to rebuke that policy, than to make him Governor.

State issues make a very small figure in the contest. Indeed there are no questions of State policy of any magnitude likely to be seriously affected by the result. The canal policy of the State is substantially and permanently settled. The canals are to be finished, whether the cost of finishing them is more or less. Both parties are wasteful and extravagant in their management, and indeed no *party* management of such works can ever be otherwise. If the Democratic Party gain the complete ascendancy, they would probably sweep away our present Police system and restore the old one. If the Republicans bear sway they will keep it as it is. Neither party, in its probable action, will consult the best interests of the City, which require the modification, but not the overthrow, of our present system. New-York has never before had so good a Police as it has at present, though it is still susceptible of improvement.

The sharpest interest of the canvass turns upon the election of Members of Congress. There is, in the first place, the regular party issue, which is overpowered by the Lecompton question. And then there is the new issue growing out of the attempt of the President to crush out those Democratic members who refused to follow his lead or yield to his dictation. The public sentiment has rallied with unusual spirit to the new issue which has thus been raised. It is widely felt that this touches the prevalent political vice of the times—the slavish submission of representatives, chosen by the people, to the dispensers of place and the possessors of power. It is an evil which has grown to be intolerable. The scandal of Congressional subserviency has in fact become so great that the people, always slow to move against an Administration which they have themselves elected, are driven to rebuke both the tempters and the tempted. The question presented is not new. To a certain extent it arises under every Administration. Human nature is the same at all times and in all parties. There is, therefore, always a tendency on the part of members of Congress to forget allegiance to their constituents, in their anxiety to please the President. But all Presidents are not equally inclined to seduce representatives from the performance of their obligations. We are at this time called to witness a remarkable spectacle. Members elected as friends of the present Executive, and bound to his support by every tie of interest and selfishness, break away, if not from their party, at least from its acknowledged official head, making their appeal to the people who sent them to Washington, and whose approval they prefer to the smiles and rewards of power. In this course there is a boldness and manliness which claims the applause of all independent men. It is one of the best signs of the times that such representatives are crushed. Party lines are obliterated and partisan prejudice prostrated in their favor. GRAY, HAVEN, and others of that stamp, will be sent back to Washington by the aid of thousands of votes which two years ago were cast against them. That courage which can confront the menaces of power never appeals in vain to a magnanimous people.

The Liquor-dealers.

There is an effrontery of manner peculiar to political combinations which is not to be met with under any other circumstances. The most glaring inconsistencies, the most determined obliquity, seem to seize upon men who give themselves up to the fascinations of party purpose; and everything in the shape of delicacy, or common decency, is sacrificed with almost inconceivable readiness.

There is a body of men in this State, but more particularly in this City, who banded themselves together some three years ago in defence of certain rights which they conceived to have been invaded by a Temperance law of the State Legislature. In order to combine against legislation which affected their interests, and which they deemed unjust and improper, they effected a regular organization and became "The New-York Liquor-dealers' Association." Against this action we have nothing whatever to say. It is the undoubted right of every citizen, or of any number of citizens, to endeavor by legal, honorable and open means to secure the repeal of any enactment which he or they can show to be unjust or detrimental to the public interests. But the New-York Liquor-dealers' Association has gone considerably beyond this. They have not been content with fighting giants already grown up and ready for battle, but like doughty Tom Thumb they "made the giants first and then they killed 'em." The Society have, it appears, been instituting a secret inquisition into the views of the various candidates for office, and on discovering that A or B declines to give the pledges required, resolve immediately to go in and fetch him. They have accordingly issued a circular to the members of the Society, of which the following is a copy:

> Resolved,
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> TO THE MEMBERS OF THE NEW-YORK LIQUOR-DEALERS' SOCIETY.
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> In conformity with this article of our Association, and in accordance with a resolution passed at the last

adjust. We are asking reparation from New-Granada for a gross insult to our national honor, and for a brutal violation of private rights, by which the lives and property of many of our fellow-citizens were wantonly destroyed with the knowledge and undisguised encouragement of New-Granadian authorities. The outrages to which we allude, now almost forgotten, were committed upon a highway of travel, the neutrality of which it is of the utmost importance to preserve. In our demands for redress, after having fully ascertained the facts, we merely asked that indemnity should be accorded to those American citizens who had suffered from the Panama massacre of 1856, and that, for the future, the Government of New-Granada should guarantee a reasonable protection to persons crossing the Isthmus. These most just and temperate demands—in view of the great injuries inflicted—should have been yielded by the Government of New-Granada without hesitation, if that Government had been at all anxious to remove from itself the stigma of secretly supporting the brutal outbreak of popular prejudice at Panama. But a paltry economy and a miserable national vanity, where all cause of national honor is lost, have hitherto prevented the New-Granadian Congress from doing a plain act of justice in a plain, straightforward way or from listening to the representations of such enlightened men as President OBIEDA.

If this degradation of the New-Granadian Congress is to be deplored and condemned, the leniency of our own Government in the matter cannot be passed by unheeded. Their only excuse is that the State from which we had suffered such a grievous injury was so miserably weak and decrepid as to be unworthy the punishment that it richly deserved. But this argument will not hold good while the wrongs done to American citizens remain unredressed. We should have obtained that redress, by force if necessary, within a month after the outrage was perpetrated. But nearly three years have elapsed since American citizens were slaughtered at Panama, and the victims of that infamous act have been waiting in vain to be indemnified for their losses. The reflection is not creditable to the foreign policy of our Government, nor will it increase that respect which it should always command abroad. We trust, however, that our distinguished Secretary of State—always ready himself to defend the interests of his country and fellow-countrymen abroad—will succeed in bringing the New-Granadian question to a speedy issue. And if the Congress of New-Granada should remain obstinate in their refusal to accept the original Cass-Herran treaty, it is quite time to let them know, by a formidable demonstration of power, that we are determined to enforce its ratification. In this view the Paraguay squadron may render a more important service to the country than the one upon which it is now engaged.

The Evil of Injunctions Again.

We all remember the scandal caused last year during the Street Commissioner contest by the cross injunctions which were granted so liberally by the judges, apparently without the slightest thought either for the public interests or the dignity of their own office. The Court of Common Pleas was in collision with the Supreme Court, and the Superior Court with the Court of Sessions. It was altogether a remarkable epoch in our history. The Mayor was in rebellion, two mobs were fighting for the possession of the City records with clubs and pistols, and the judiciary took sides in the row, each Court belaboring the other with orders and injunctions as zealously as if each Bench had backed CONOVER or DEVLIN largely. The City and State stood aghast at this strange spectacle, and Governor KING, in his message to the Legislature at the opening of the session, reprobated in the strongest terms the practice, indulged in by the Courts, of making orders in cases, on the merits of which other Judges of the same Court, or another Court, had already passed, and recommended the adoption of a remedy of some sort.

A bill was accordingly introduced rendering it necessary to give notice to the party to be enjoined before every application for an injunction, and restricting the power of granting it to one Court, in order to avoid a repetition of the unseemly conflict of jurisdictions which had taken place during the previous Summer. This bill was never passed; why, or through whose fault, we do not know. Orders to show cause accordingly continued to be granted as recklessly and lavishly as ever, upon the smallest pretexts, and without the slightest inquiry as to their effect upon proceedings taken upon the same state of facts in other Courts, or before other judges. The abuse came before the public in a very striking shape, in the case of *Hasbrouck* vs. *Ehrich*, before Judge ELIOTT, on a motion for a new trial, at Brooklyn, in July last. In that case the defendant actually succeeded in obtaining from a Justice of the Supreme Court in New-York an order returnable in Brooklyn in July vacating an order of arrest and staying proceedings in a cause set down for trial in Orange County in June, though it had previously been refused him, on the same state of facts, in Orange County.

Judge ELIOTT commented upon the affair in very strong terms, but not half as strong as the circumstances demanded. He said: "That such an order should have been granted shows the mischief to which the constant practice of granting orders to show cause which prevails in the City of New-York may tend." Something clearly needed to be done to abate the nuisance, and the Supreme Court did what was in its power at the session of the Judges in August last. An amendment was there introduced into the rules, providing—that

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This is all very well as far as it goes, but it does not prevent the party making an application to another Court, or a fresh party making it to another Judge of the same Court; and how much may still be accomplished in this sort of dodging is being very satisfactorily proved to us in the controversy now pending between the Murray-Hill property-holders and the Harlem Railroad. The Common Council passed an ordinance prohibiting the use of steam below Forty-second-street. The Railroad asked the United States Circuit Courts for an injunction and were refused it. They were equally unsuccessful in the State Courts, and the ordinance was enforced. Upon the representations of a large number of citizens, the Board of Aldermen have repealed the ordinance, but the new question now arises whether they can legally do so, and the work of injunction-issuing begins again. Judge SUTHERLAND has already refused to restrain the Common Council from concurring with the Aldermen, upon the application of one party. Judge HOFFMAN has, we believe, refused a similar application from another

but, nevertheless, we certainly judge Loyz granted a temporary injunction, in Brooklyn, for the same purpose. We suppose these several applications are made by different members of the community known as the "Murray-Hill Property-holders," and, probably, upon a slightly different state of facts, but the merits of the question in each were substantially the same. We are not now discussing the pros and cons of the dispute between the Railroad Company and the residents in the Fourth-avenue. Whether the use of steam should be allowed below Forty-second-street is one question; and whether injunctions should be granted indiscriminately by the various Courts in this City, and by different Judges of the same Court, in cases on which other Courts and other Judges have already adjudicated, is another.

We cannot help adding that the spectacle of Judge LOYZ granting what Judge SUTHERLAND has refused, is a scandalous spectacle—that it not only diminishes the confidence of the public in the law, and increases the uncertainty of individuals about their rights, but it brings the Judiciary into contempt. It is a misfortune to have several centers of concurrent jurisdiction, and yet it is one of the necessities of a high state of civilization, and of a complex social organization. The conflict of jurisdictions is, however, one of the worst evils which can flow from it, and against this the good sense, good temper, discretion and purity of the Judges ought to be amply sufficient to protect us. It ought not to be necessary to define by law the exact powers of each of the higher Courts; but we have now too many proofs that it is necessary, and therefore it ought to be done. Some provision should certainly be made by the Legislature next session, restricting the enjoining power to one Court—and prohibiting the issue of injunctions in one district or county, where one having precisely the same object has been already refused upon the application of another party in another district or county. The purpose of the order should be made the test, and not the state of facts or the parties alone.

Dictionary Making.

The prospectus of a new English Dictionary has been put forth by the British Philological Society. About a year ago the Association proposed to complete the deficiencies of JOHNSON and RICHARDSON; and, with that view, issued an invitation to scholars at large to furnish such omitted words as they might encounter in their reading. The return for the bread thus cast upon the waters exceeded every anticipation. Another volume, as bulky as JOHNSON's largest folio, must have failed to garner the voluntary harvest. Overcome by its sudden affluence, the Society enlarged its plan, determining to remodel English lexicography from the foundation; and appointing Committees to consider the most effective plan of operations. The inquiry has resulted in a fresh appeal to scholars, and lovers of learning and philological inquiry, for additions to their vocabulary, engaging to employ the raw material thus contributed to the best advantage, such men as Dean MILMAN answering for the historical and literary treatment, and such men as Prof. MALDEN holding themselves responsible for the etymologies. We are promised, as the product of the enterprise, the first perfect dictionary of our language. Such as have any superfluity of words about them may dispose of them to the best advantage by addressing the Secretary at London.

There is no doubt about the want of a better English dictionary. JOHNSON's, even with TODD's inestimable additions and corrections, comes very far short of fairly representing the sources and resources of the language. The etymological department is extremely defective; the vocabulary admits of reduplication. RICHARDSON is of authority in orthography, and has many decided literary merits. He is, nevertheless, as incomplete as JOHNSON in his list of words; and in definition he is to the last degree unprecise and unreliable. Of WEBSTER it is hardly necessary to speak. His capricious trifling with the rules of orthography, added to the facts that his citations are seldom from original authorities, and his definitions still less accurate than RICHARDSON's, must exclude his labors from serving even as a basis of the complete dictionary of our language. It is quite as well for any Irish nobleman, taking to hold himself independent of all those endeavors, using them whenever they may be advantageously employed, but relying upon their own more catholic plan. There is danger, however, that the present plan will fall considerably short of the earlier representations of the enterprise. It is intimated that scientific and provincial words are to be excluded; that slang is to be inadmissible; that archaisms are to be tabooed; that none but the actual words recognized in the literature of the century are to be accepted; and that these are to go unverified by citations. An adherence to so narrow an outline would at once consign the business to contempt. A dictionary of the language at this time of day, with all the helps at the command of the makers; the etymological helps derived from the researches of recent Anglo-Saxon, Teutonic and Oriental scholars; the literary helps furnished by the labors of recent commentators upon the earlier English poets, and upon the dramatists of the reigns of ELIZABETH and JAMES; the numberless unnoticed and forgotten works of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries reprinted by the English antiquarian Societies, bringing to light earlier authorities for well-known words, and words else not commonly known; and redeeming others from the class of slang and *patois* by proving them to have once been of respectable literary standing; all these accumulated resources of recent scholarship are at the service of the lexicographical guild; and any dictionary omitting to use them will be neither complete, nor in any just sense a dictionary of the language.

A perfect dictionary, indeed, may be judged by a few very simple criteria. It will presuppose, on the part of the consultant, entire ignorance of the language. It will, therefore, exclude no word in actual use, whether technical or scientific, slang or provincial. It will take in all such as are found in the literature of the language, without regard to classical or other arbitrary rules of discrimination. It will present, in its proper alphabetical place, every mode of spelling a word to be met in literature. Every variation of a word during inflection, or in conjugation, will be found in its proper order. From these predicates, we infer that we should make the dictionary absolute in itself, so that, in the absence of grammatical aid, the inquirer should not be defeated in his reference. He ought to be saved the embarrassment arising from the quotations of forgotten, or vulgar, or provincial words, which constantly recur in every-day reading. So far, in fact, as concerns vulgarisms and scientific words, they so constantly pass from partial into general use, and rise from base to classic, that to shut them from a good dictionary is to render it of purely ephemeral value. A

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Accident on [illegible].—A serious accident happened last evening with an important train. The [illegible] has occurred in every part. Miss Fanny [illegible] in years is heard to very decided advantage. The [illegible] were dramatically, with greater accuracy of intonation, than on any other night. Out we have heard. Her acting in the more delicate shades of the character was as finished and admirable as ever. It was a highly meritorious performance. Mme. D'Anan made her rentrée in America, and was warmly welcomed. Her success was marred by over-effort, and by a tendency to be too impressive. The result was sometimes grotesque. In the third and fourth acts Mme. D'Anan recovered her artistic equilibrium, and sang as she can sing—faultlessly.

Signor Tiberini was the *Conte di Luna*, and gave a fair, but not drawn, rendition of the *rôle*. Signor Bettini was laboring under a severe attack of indigestion, sufficient, we were assured by the Manager, to have justified a refusal to sing at all. In the first and second acts, the blunders arising from this state of things were painfully noticeable, and vexed the audience to obstinacy. Mr. Ostinia then came forward and explained the matter, after which the good public cheered Signor Bettini, and thought no more of his short-comings.

The orchestra was admirable; so good that we have no recollection of a better performance. Signor Bevani is unmistakably the first conductor we have ever had in this country. He has made the orchestra one of the leading attractions of the evening's entertainment.

The "Trovatore" will be played on Wednesday for the last time.

Little Ella.—The entertainment by this little lady will take place on Thursday, at Girlie' Rooms, not Tuesday, as previously announced.

Alleged Discourtesy of New-Yorkers Towards English Officers.—The *Albion* complains, with a good deal of feeling, of the lack of hospitality on the part of citizens of New-York towards the officers of the British steam frigate *Valorous*, which aided the *Agamemnon* in laying down the Atlantic Cable, and has now gone to take Sir William Gore Ouseley to San Juan. During her stay in this port, the *Albion* says, only two New-Yorkers showed them any attention whatever, and of these one had public and the other private reasons for their civility. Such attentions as they did receive were exclusively from English residents. Of our public officials the Mayor went on board the *Valorous* and, as he was leaving, invited the commander to call upon him "at his office," an invitation, the *Albion* says, which was not accepted. Two army officers paid him an unofficial visit; from *the navy came only an invitation to dine fixed for a* day subsequent to that when it was well-known the *vessel was to sail*. Capt. Aldham, says the *Albion*, "probably carried away with him the impression that *New-York is a very populous and flourishing place*, with great profusion and luxuriousness and ostentation in the style of life among the opulent, with a considerable number of its civic guardians *under indictment for peculation*—with filthy streets, rampant rowdyism and inaccessible justice." *Our English confrère is somewhat more* bitter than usual in his reference to this matter. *We should certainly be very sorry to learn that there* had been any lack of proper attention on the part of *our citizens towards these gentlemen, though we are* glad to find that they have not been persecuted with *the toadying notice that sometimes very justly disgusts* foreign visitors of distinction among us. The *Albion thinks that one reason why Capt. Aldham* has received so little civility here, was "because he was *not a lord,"—and another it finds in the very natural* reaction from the extravagant and absurd celebration *of the 1st of September. We venture to suggest still* another:—Capt. Aldham probably brought no such letters of introduction as would secure him special social attentions, and although he is doubtless an excellent officer and gentleman, he had no such prominence before the public as to render them unnecessary. *Voilà tout.*

French and English Fisheries.—Another fishery dispute has sprung up between the French and English along the coast of Newfoundland. From a petition addressed by British subjects in that neighborhood to the Governor of Newfoundland, it appears that they have received notice from the Commander of the French naval squadron on that coast, forbidding them to continue the concurrent right of fishery, which, as they allege, they have enjoyed "without molestation or question for a period of eighty years and upwards." They say that the threatened interference will utterly destroy their business and reduce them to a condition of famine, and they solicit the protection of the authorities. Governor Bayfield replies, asking for further information upon the subject, and saying that, seventy-five years ago it is quite clear the French had no right of fishing, concurrent or otherwise, on any part of St. George's Bay, though in 1814 they acquired the right concurrently with the English. He promises to bring the matter to the immediate attention of the English Government, as he says it is the evident intention of the French Government to assert the exclusive right to fish in these waters.

The Fever at New-Orleans.—The appeal of the Howard Association of New-Orleans meets a ready response. Voluntary contributions are passing rapidly into its coffers. Two days after the publication of their appeal the sum of $970 was received. On the following day $1,467 were contributed. All classes lent their aid, and among the names of the contributors appeared merchants, planters, ladies at watering-places, grocers, confectioners and billiard saloon keepers. The German Volksfest Committee collected a considerable sum. The average number of cases of fever under daily treatment is 120.

☞ We are indebted to Purser Eskridge, of the steamship *Parkersburg*, for Charleston and Savannah papers in advance of the mail.

MEXICO.

The Great Battle at La Parada.

The following letter to the Galveston *Civilian* gives some interesting details of the long anticipated conflict between Vidaurri and the Government forces under Gen. Miramon. It is written by a warm sympathizer with the Church Party:

Some weeks ago I wrote you that it was impossible for the Northern faction in Mexico long to sustain themselves in opposition to a Government having its headquarters about the City of Mexico, and sustained by the Catholic clergy. Recent events have verified that statement. General Santiago Vidaurri is emphatically whipped out and used up. Vidaurri—after having entered the city of San Luis Potosi, without opposition, and about which so much was said—*finding that the presence of his army was obnoxious to* the citizens, retreated from the city to the hacienda "La Parada," about eight leagues from San Luis.

On the 20th of September, General Miramon sent a detachment of 1,200 men to reconnoitre his camp, with orders to fall back in the event of an attack. On the 28th he sent out a larger detachment with similar instructions, and after having made himself thoroughly acquainted with Vidaurri's strength and position, on the morning of the 29th, prepared for a general attack. His army consisted of 11,000 men, officered by the best men in Mexico. Having determined to make the attack with the bayonet and lance alone, he detained 3,000 men to retain as a guard for the artillery and military stores. He then ordered 2,000 lancers to take positions on the right and left wings of Vidaurri's army, at safe distances, and hold themselves in readiness to cut off the fugitives in the event of a route. Then placing himself at the head of 5,000 infantry and cavalry, he moved toward the camp of Vidaurri.

As the army arrived upon the hills which commanded the plain where Vidaurri with 8,000 was encamped, Gen. Miramon ordered a halt; and, pointing with his sword across the plain, said: "Soldiers of Mexico! there are the enemies of the Republic, and the enemies of the Church; this day we shall strike a blow that will give rest to the Republic, and rebuild the altars of our holy religion." When these words *were concluded, shouts from 5,000 voices of "Viva la* Republica, Viva la Iglesia!" resounded in tones of the deepest enthusiasm throughout the lines. As soon as silence was restored, the bugles sounded, and the army advanced with fixed bayonets and lance, orders *having been given for not a musket to be fired until* the batteries should be taken. As the attacking army advanced, Vidaurri's gunners were distinctly seen holding in their hands their lighted port-fires, awaiting the orders of their commanders, but the army of Mexico steadily advanced. When within two hundred yards of Vidaurri's lines, the order to fire was given, and sixty pieces of cannon and eight thousand small arms belched forth their murderous hail upon the assailants, in an instant, and before the troops had time to waver, the order to charge rang down the line from the sharp voice of General Miramon; the order was obeyed—and before the artillerymen could reload their pieces, a large portion of them were lanced at their guns, and the batteries were taken. Simultaneously Miramon's infantry had fallen upon Vidaurri's volunteers with their bayonets with such fury as was irresistible. Lances and bayonets were clotted with blood, while bullets pierced the frightened fugitives. Footmen were trampled under the feet of the cavalry that had been posted upon the right and left of Vidaurri, and many of them lanced. The plain to the north and east of the Hacienda was covered with fugitives, flying towards the mountains, almost breathless from the impetuous harassment.

It was a San Jacinto victory: 300 are reported killed; 1,100 wounded—one-half supposed to be mortally; 2,000 taken prisoners; the balance made their escape into the mountains, with the exception of about 250, *mostly officers, who* escaped with Gen. Vidaurri. The victors took 800 *mules and horses, 200 wagons, 40 pieces of artillery*, 20,000 pounds of ammunition, besides quantities and the usual amount of camp equipage. Gen. Vidaurri, in an express to Monterey, wrote: "All is lost!" which, being interpreted, means that he will no longer handle the public revenue. These disturbers of the public peace are brought up at last, as they ought to have been twelve months ago. If there is a country in the universe, as some believe, men cannot in the name of [illegible]

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the operations of the land expeditions and to make them account.

PERSONAL.

The position of Principal of the Philadelphia Central High School has been resigned by Professor John S. Hart, after an connection extending over 30 years. Dr. Hart was chosen upon the resignation of Dr. A. D. Rankin, when the latter assumed the charge of the Coast Survey. His administration has been eminently successful. The Institution has attained the highest ascendency under his influence and the able assistance of the several distinguished coadjutors in the faculty. Dr. Hart has been invited to become the editor of the periodicals of the American Sunday School Union, and will accept the tender. It is a post of much importance.

The Evening Post says that Mlle. Piccolomini has taken for herself and her family a pew near the altar in St. Stephens's (Dr. Cummings's) church, in Twenty-eighth-street. The niece of Cardinale and Pogo, as she is called, was once in a fair way to become a Lady Abbess in an Italian Convent. But though diverted from its sanity a career, she still maintains her devotion for the religion of her ancestors. The spread of Romanism up town, as manifested in the number of young Protestants who attend St. Stephens since her arrival, is quite alarming.

A contribution to literary history has been made to light in the shape of Pope's Correspondence with Bolingbroke. These MSS., now in the hands of Messrs. Bentley, of Bentley's Miscellany, for sale or exchange, consist of about 100 letters, addressed to the *head of Pope, and nearly all relate to the* translation of the Odyssey. They are said to throw new light on the relative shares in that work of Pope, *the Rev. Mr. Broome, and Mr. Fenton.*

A Florence letter in the Providence *Journal* says: *Powers has in hand at present a replica of his* statue of Washington, for some museum in America. The figure is decked out with the emblems of a Master of that order. This artist still continues to give much of his attention to busts, in which line of art *he is known to have attained such eminent* success. Two, recently finished, are those of Mr. Jared Sparks and Mrs. Gen. Wadsworth.

The second bronze cast of Power's Webster is just finished at Florence. If possible, (says the correspondent of the Newark *Daily*,) it is more perfect than the one lost at sea. It should be exhibited at Washington before being placed on its pedestal in Boston. I doubt if there is a nobler portrait statue extant. "Webster seems to all every part of it," said one of our gifted countrymen this morning, after contemplating it for an hour.

The American Sculptor, Hart, still has his studio at Florence. He has achieved a measure of success with his new machine for modeling from life. His nephew, Robert Hart, is said to be of great promise as a sculptor. He has meditated modeling a bust of Washington, the head alone to be eight or nine feet in *diameter, or nearly double the size of the Bavaria at* Munich.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce are expected at Florence, from Switzerland, *en route* for Rome, whither Mr. Hawthorne has gone. Mr. H. passed the Summer in *a pleasant villa, near Florence, with his family.* The reading public will probably not be disappointed in its *expectation of another book from his pen.*

Jewett's picture of "Calebott Castle and Southampton Water," *lately on exhibition in Hartford*, has been purchased by a gentleman of that city for $75. Mr. Jewett has just completed a copy of Turner's celebrated picture of the "Old Temeraire," the second ship in the line at Trafalgar.

The Boston *Transcript* says: "It is noteworthy that leading reviews on both sides of the Atlantic have recently published able papers on Montaigne, both articles appearing at the time the citizens of *Bordeaux were engaged in the erection of a statue to* his memory.

The illness of the Rev. Theodore Parker has assumed a favorable turn, so that he has been able, within a few days, to walk out. His friends are now encouraged to believe that he will soon be able, with restored health, to resume his public duties.

Father Caro, Apostolical Visitor of the Order of St. Francis, has returned to New-York from a special mission to the houses of that Order in California. Father Caro will soon sail for Europe, where business of his Order calls him, first to Paris, and then to Rome.

A runaway negro was overhauled in Texas, not long ago, well equipped for his journey to free territory. He had possessed himself of a surveyor's compass, a map of Texas, and a quantity of provisions.

The late Archduchess Margaret of Austria, was a daughter of the King of Saxony, and married the Archduke Charles Louis, brother of the Emperor of Austria, in 1806.

The Rev. Dr. Coit, of Bridgeport, preached his twenty-fifth annual sermon on the 24th. The present Church of St. John, in which Dr. Coit officiates, was consecrated by Bishop Brownell in 1836.

Mlle. Piccolomini was robbed yesterday morning, while on her way home from Mass, at St. Stephens', of a Chatelaine watch, set with diamonds, and valued at $500.

The white slave Rosina, whose case made some excitement in Wisconsin recently, is safe in Canada. Clothing and money were abundantly provided for her.

Governor Banks has pardoned Edward C. Delano, convicted in Boston of an assault. Delano served under Lieut. De Haven and Dr. Kane, in the Arctic expedition.

Mr. James E. Murdock, having finished a theatrical engagement in Nashville, has betaken himself to the Cumberland Mountains for a hunt.

The Corporation of Montreal have presented a complimentary address to Sir William Williams, the hero of Kars.

Ex-Secretary Stanton has became a permanent resident of Kansas, and is spoken of for United States Senator.

The Rev. Thomas B. Thayer, of Boston, is dangerously ill, at Lowell, in consequence of injuries received by being thrown from a carriage.

The venerable Rembrandt Peale is announced to lecture in Philadelphia on "Washington and his Portraits."

Prof. Wier, of West Point, is engaged on a new portrait of Gen. Scott.

Madame Lola Montez will sail for Europe to-day. She intends to visit Ireland.

Judge Meek's "History of Alabama" is completed, and will soon be issued from the Press.

Mrs. Bostwick is concertizing at Detroit.

Mr. D'Arcy McGee has taken the field as a lecturer in Canada.

The Hon. Edward Everett delivered his Washington Oration at Montpelier, Vt., on Thursday.

Miss Hensler, the Boston singer, is in Trieste, and the journals compliment her in a glowing fashion.

Col. Kinney has gone to Western Texas.

Miscellaneous.

The following is the decision of the Attorney-General of the United States, in reference to titles to land warrants: "It is held that the heirs of a man are those persons who are entitled by the *ius rei situs* to take his inheritable real estate at the time of his death. His legatees are those to whom he has bequeathed his personal property by will. Heirs sometimes means children, in common parlance, and the *word is to be so understood in a statute when the con*text shows that intention to have been in the mind of the legislature. But, says the Attorney-General, I am not aware that any reason exists here for taking it in a sense different from that in which it is usually and properly accepted. This act of Congress, then, vests the land in the persons to whom the claimant may have left it by will; and if he died intestate, then it goes to his heirs—that is to the persons who are entitled to claim his real estate by the intestate laws."

A man named Garrett Dorland is under arrest in Chicago, charged with swindling two young drovers out of $8,000, under the following circumstances: The drovers, Benham and Barnet, are residents of Texas, and recently started from Gonzales County for Fort Leavenworth with a herd of 500 cattle. Their market failed them, and they turned back disheartened, when they were met by Dorland, who hailed from Ashland County, Ohio, and was about to start for Chicago with a drove of mustang horses, and, after some chaffering, agreed to take the whole herd of 512 cattle and beeves at about $16 per head, for a total sum of $8,272. Notes were given by Dorland, which matured Oct. 15, but the affair has resulted in swindling Messrs. Benham and Barnet out of the whole amount. Dorland exhibited a letter from his father, in which he pretends to have had his pocket picked of a large sum.

The office of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, at Pittston, Pa., was entered by robbers on Wednesday night of last week, who, after garroting the paymaster *Mr. Gaines, and robbing him, entered the vault of the* office, and took a large sum of money therefrom. Mr. Gaines went into the office, and while engaged in lighting a lamp, was suddenly seized by the throat from behind, overpowered, and rendered insensible. His legs were then tied together, and his pockets emptied of their contents, consisting of the vault key, a valuable gold watch, and about $50. With the key the vault was then opened, and money to the amount of $1,500 stolen.

A lady correspondent of the New-Orleans *Picayune* utters this lament, touching the slaves: "I have reason for believing that the free negroes employed on our finest steamers as stewards are nearly all trained and paid to use their influence at all times and in all convenient places, to prevail upon our servants to abscond. They meet them at Cairo, and from that point defy all efforts made to recapture. I lost a valuable man in this way, enticed away by the steward of the *Diana*—a negro who has been engaged in this way some years—and at this moment I have in my possession a card of his house in Chicago, where he receives his colored friends—they paying him well for his trouble, as a matter of course."

The thirty colored persons who are to be sent out to Liberia from Boston by the Colonization Society, sailed Saturday afternoon in the steamer Joseph Whitney for Baltimore, whence they sail immediately upon their arrival in the colonization ship *Mary Caroline Stevens*, for Monrovia. Their friends, to the number of nearly one hundred, assembled upon the wharf to see them off. With but one or two exceptions *the colonists came from Cambridge, and they* are said to be very worthy people.

The Supervising Inspectors of Steamboats have just concluded their annual meeting at Boston. A number of important subjects were discussed. More stringent regulations were adopted to guard against fire in passenger steamers. Measures were also taken to prevent the fraudulent stamping of boiler iron.

The great Cuban Dry Dock, ordered to be built at New-Orleans for use at Havana, has been com-

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plated. The Orleanist says: "It is an immense structure, capable of lifting up the largest steamer that plows the Gulf; and a Spanish company will soon be formed to use it over."

The annual message of Mayor Hills, of New-Orleans, alludes to the fact that the city debts have been expended, leaving the disbursement of the city treasury for the burial of the dead and the conveyance of the poor to the hospitals, and the multiplied private benefactions made by the charitable of the city while on their daily errands of mercy.

The Bureau of Indian Affairs is in receipt of intelligence from the Chippewa Agency, under date of Oct. 17, which alludes to an attempt made to rob the Superintendent of Indian Affairs, Col. Cumming, on his way thither to pay over to the tribes the annuities due them. Col. C. had in his possession about $40,000, but repelled the attack of the robbers and saved the money.

Efforts are being made in Detroit to raise money to back "Dutch Hans," who beat Chrystal in the great billiard match which caused so much excitement last Winter, to enable him to take up the challenge of Mick Phelan, to play any man in the country for $5,000 and the "championship." The *Free Press* says that $5,000 have already been raised."

The water is so low in Red River and all the navigable streams in Louisiana, west of the Mississippi, that freights are accumulating in all the towns at the terminal of steamboat navigation. The New-Orleans papers lament the stoppage and cry out for the construction of Railroads.

The Boston Transcript demonstrates that spire of *the new College Chapel at Cambridge as the oddest* architectural object in the place. The height of the spire above the tower is only 20 feet, and the whole is *surmounted by a small iron pillar.*

A communication on the condition of the deaf *mutes in Canada, appears in a Toronto paper. In* Toronto, there are 12 deaf mutes. Nine are under instruction in Mr. Gaskin's School.

The Board of Managers of the Washington Monument Society have begun to make preparations, so far as they are able in the present state of their affairs, to recommence the work.

The Philadelphia Hose Company (No. 1) has adopted the New-York style of fire-hat, in place of the thin pasteboard head-covering usually worn by Philadelphia firemen.

The steamer *Isabel* brought to Charleston, on her last trip from Havana, a mail of 4,287 letters and 1,237 newspapers.

The new Vermont State House is nearly completed. The total cost will be $89,000, of which sum $32,000 have already been expended.

The wooden bridges on the Great Western Railroad in Canada are to be replaced by iron ones.

The Quarantine season at Boston has closed.

Thanksgiving in Maine, Thursday, Nov. 25.

Singular Circumstance.—A very singular circumstance happened to a young lady a few nights since. The evening, or rather all the day previous, she had been complaining of a severe pain in the *head and eyes, more particularly the latter. Judge* of her astonishment and that of her friends to find, the morning following, that during the night she had become completely cross-eyed. The transformation occasioned her no additional pain, and has been *since a matter of much speculation. Her name is* Lucinda Mabee; she is about 15 years of age, and resides on Bary-street, near Linn.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

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Passmore—Sawyer.—In this City, on Wednesday, Oct. 27, by the Rev. J. Hinkel, Mr. Wesley S. Passmore and Miss Emma J. Sawyer, daughter of Alderman Sawyer, Fourth, all of this City.

Newman—Lawrence.—In this City, on Wednesday, Oct. 27, at St. James Church, by the Rev. J. W. Pike, D.D., Samuel B. Newman to Miss Anna E. Lawrence, daughter of the late John Lawrence.

DIED.

Austin.—In this City, on Sunday, Oct. 31, Benj. Austin, aged 73 years.

His friends and relatives of the family, also the members of the E. L. Snow Social United No. 1, and the members of the Excelsior Engine Company, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from the residence of his son John, No. 15 Ingersoll-st., without further invitation.

Kanessa.—In this City, on Sunday, Oct. 30, at 10 P. M., Countess Mary Kanessa, wife of Count Louis Kanessa, aged 36 years.

The funeral will take place this day, (Tuesday,) at 2 P. M., from Calvary Church. Services by the Rev. Dr. Hawks. Friends are requested to attend, without further invitation.

Townsend.—In this City, on Thursday, Oct. 28, Mrs. Elma R., widow of the late Elias Townsend, of this City.

Harton.—In this City, on Sunday morning, Oct. 31, of consumption, Fiona, Harton, daughter of the late Andrew J. Harton, aged 16 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at No. 311 Bond-st., near 4th-av., Brooklyn.

Lawrence.—At Newtown, L. I., on Monday, Nov. 1, Mrs. Angelica E. Lawrence, wife of the late Nathaniel Lawrence, aged 80 years.

Her relatives and friends, and those of her son-in-law, John S. Dwyer, are invited to attend her funeral, at her late residence, this day, at 3 o'clock.

Wilson.—At Somers, on Friday, Oct. 29, at the residence of her son-in-law, Wm. N. Todd, Jane Wilson, widow of the late Samuel Wilson, Jr., aged 87 years.

Halsted.—In Amherst, Mass., on Sunday, Oct. 31, William Osborne, youngest son of Mr. M. O. Halsted, in the 15th year of his age.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services, at the residence of his father, Orange, N. J., on Wednesday, Nov. 1, at 11 o'clock P. M.

Brown.—At East Chester, Westchester Co., N. Y., on Sunday, Oct. 31, at the residence of her son, the late States Briggs, Mrs. Elizabeth, widow of the late George W. Briggs, of New-York City, in the 74th year of her age.

The friends and relatives are invited to attend the funeral, this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from the Episcopal Church, East Chester. New-Haven cars leave 4th-st. and 27th-st., at 12½ o'clock P. M.

McNeely.—In Salisbury, N. C., Oct. 22, Louisa Adelaide, wife of J. A. McNeely, and eldest daughter of A. B. Marvin, aged 27 years.

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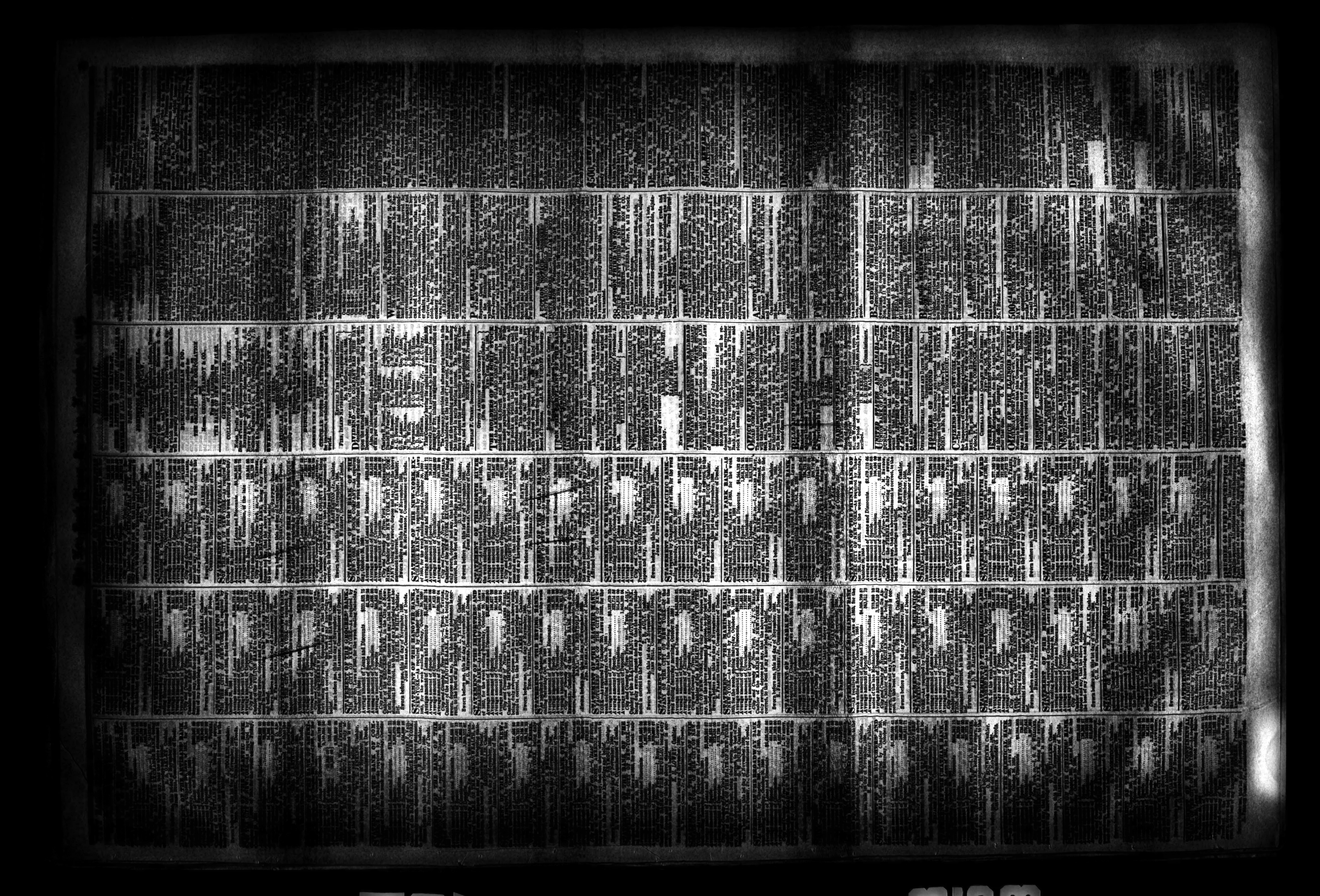

PAY OF UNITED STATES DISTRICT ATTORNEYS.—The Attorney-General has, at the request of the Secretary of the Interior, given an opinion in reference to the pay allowed by law to District-Attorneys. It is held that the act of Feb. 6, 1855, can admit of but one construction. The services of a District-Attorney, in the examination of persons charged with crime, are to be paid by the day, and are not to receive compensation for each separate case. No matter how many persons he may examine in one day, his pay must be but five dollars for the day's service. In many cases persons charged with crime are arrested in localities where there is neither a Judge nor U. S. Commissioner, and where the examination must be had before some other magistrate. The law can scarcely intend, in the opinion of the Attorney-General, that the District-Attorney shall make such an examination without being paid. A fair construction of the law will entitle him to his per diem, without regard to the particular city by which the judicial officer before whom the examination is had may be known or called, if he be an competent authority. The same principles apply to the services allowed to Marshals.—*Washington Union.*

A poor English woman, Mrs. Houghton, attempted to commit suicide in New-Orleans a few days ago. Her late husband was a Knee Mason, and during his death the fraternity in New-Orleans have allowed her $2 a week. Becoming discouraged, she tried to drown herself, but was rescued.

The deepest coal-pit in Great Britain, and probably in the world, has, after nearly twelve years' labor, just been completed and opened at Dukinfield, Cheshire, Eng. The shaft of this pit is 898½ yards deep, and the sinking of it has cost nearly £160,000.

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A writer on lightning-rods urges the necessity of closing the windows of a house after the outside has become wet in a shower. The outside is then a good conductor, and the dry air of the interior a non-conductor, and the chances are small that the electricity will enter the house.

Correction.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Nov. 1, 1858.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Under the head of "Police Reports," in your edition of this morning, I find to my surprise that I am charged with attempting to pass a $2 counterfeit bill on the Delaware City Bank. The fact is, that instead of attempting to pass the bill, I was the person on whom it was attempted to be passed, and appeared against that person, before the Judge at Essex-street Market next morning; and the was held to bail. Hoping that you will insert this correction, in justice to my friends and myself, Yours,

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J. R. STAFFORD'S OLIVE TAR.

The following editorial, written by Mrs. E. D. LEGRAND, wife of the Rev. Dr. LEGRAND, Editor of the Exeter, N. H., *News Letter*, is taken from that paper of April 2, 1858:

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See other Testimonials on Fifth Page.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

For Markets, see Second Page.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—Nov. 1.

$3,000 Ind. State 6s	92	125 Har. R. R. Prefer'd	27
5,000 Tenn. 6s, '90	89¾	100 do	27¼
15,000 do	94¾	10 Eighth-avenue R. R.	143
10,000 do	89	700 Reading Railroad	52½
10,000 Virginia 6s	95¾	300 do	52⅝
61,000 Missouri 6s	89¾	200 do	52⅝
5,000 do	89	100 do	52⅝
10,000 Cal. 7s, in N. Y.	101¼	200 do	52⅝
11,000 E. Cin. W. L. Bds	90	28 Mich. Cen. RR.	88
2,000 Ill. Cent. R. Bds	94	100 do	88
2,000 Ill. C. R. R. Bds	95	50 do	87⅞
2,000 La C. & Mil. L. Bds	95	100 do	87⅞
5,000 do	95¾	100 do	87⅞
2,000 G. & C. Union Bds	92	100 do	87
5,000 Erie R. R. Bds	90	100 Chi. R. & Quin. RR.	98
13 Mechanics' Bank	120	600 M. S. & N. In. R. R.	24
50 Continental Bank	120	100 do	b60 24¼
40 Mechanics' Bank	116	300 do	s30 23⅞
120 Del. & H. Canal Co.	99¾	100 do	b30 24
100 Penn. Coal Co.	75	100 M. S. & N. In. g. r.	83¾
300 Cumberland Pref.	19¾	187 do	83⅞
200 Pacific M. S. Co.	100¼	50 do	s30 83⅞
100 do	100	50 do	s30 83⅞
100 do	s60 100¼	150 do	83⅞
100 do	s60 100¼	25 do	s9 83⅞
5 do	100¾	50 do	b60 84
100 Ill. Cent. R.	b60 97	100 Panama Railroad	121
50 do	b60 98¾	50 do	b60 120¾
100 do	s60 98¾	200 do	120¾
100 do	s60 98¾	50 do	120¾
5 Cley., Col. & Cin. R.	25	100 do	b60 120¾
425 N. Y. Cen. R. R.	86	12 Clev. & Pitts. R. R.	8
100 do	s30 86	1284 Ga. & Chicago R. R.	79¾
200 do	b30 86	50 do	b30 79¾
100 do	b60 86	100 do	b30 79¾
100 do	85⅞	50 do	s30 79¾
100 do	b10 85⅞	200 do	s60 79¾
25 do	b30 85⅞	200 do	b60 79¾
200 do	b60 85⅞	150 do	b30 79¾
50 do	b60 85⅞	100 do	79¾
100 do	s30 85⅞	200 do	b5 80
1200 do	85⅞	200 do	s30 79¾
50 do	s10 85⅞	50 do	79¾
50 Erie Railroad	18⅞	200 Clev. & Tol. R. R.	34
110 do	18⅞	100 do	b30 33¾
70 do	18⅞	200 do	s60 33¾
200 do	b60 18⅞	200 do	s60 33¾
50 do	s10 18⅞	200 do	s10 33¾
300 do	s10 18⅞	1000 do	33¾
200 do	s30 18⅞	100 Chi. & R. I. R. R.	97¾
150 do	b60 18⅞	100 do	s30 67
100 Hud. River R.R.	28⅞	1200 do	67¾
30 do	28¾	100 do	b60 67¾
150 Harlem Railroad	13	100 do	s10 67¾
200 do	b30 13¾	100 do	b10 67¾
100 do	13¾	250 L. C. & Mil. RR.	5
250 do	13¾	150 do	b10 5

SECOND BOARD.

$5,000 U. S. 6s, 1874	104⅞	50 Mich. Cen. R. R.	88¼
1,000 Tenn. 6s, '90	94¾	100 do	88
5,000 Virginia 6s	96⅞	25 do	s30 88
4,000 Mo. 5s, 6s	s30 89	50 do	88¼
10,000 do	89⅞	150 La Cr. & Mil. RR.	4⅞
5,000 Ill. Cen. R.R. Bds	94¾	200 Clev. & Tol. R. R.	34¾
15 Del. & Hud. C. Co.	99¾	100 Reading Rail'd	s30 51¼
200 Canton Co.	s15 21	100 do	s10 52
100 do	21	100 do	s15 52
150 Pa. Mail S. Co.	108¾	100 do	52⅞
50 do	s30 108¾	50 Mich. S. & N. I. RR.	83¾
150 Hud. Riv. R. R.	29	150 do	s30 83¾
100 do	29⅞	100 Panama Railroad	120
100 N. Y. Cen. R. R.	86⅞	100 Ga. & Chi. R. R.	79¾
100 do	86	100 do	79
200 do	86	100 do	s60 79¾
100 do	s30 86	100 do	s10 79¾
100 do	b60 86	100 do	79¾
50 Harlem R. R.	13⅞	100 do	s10 79¾
10 M. S. & N. I. R. R.	24	100 do	79¾
50 do	s30 23⅞	100 do	s60 79¾
100 do	23⅞		

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$2,000 C. L. & Chi. RR.	95	2,000 Gen. C. & Iron R.	71
6,000 Chi. & N. W. R.	99¾	10 Am. Exchange Bk.	108
1,000 Clev. & Pitts. R.	87	20 Seventh Ward	99¾
1,000 Gr. W. L. In. R.	40	20 Atlantic Bank	98
1,000 N. Y. M. L. Co.	98	10 Grocers' R. Ins. Co.	111½
200 do	23 70¾	40 Lenox Ins. Co.	22
2,000 do	70	10 Phoenix Ins. Co.	113¾
1,000 do	70	10 Eagle Fire Ins. Co.	113¾
450 do	97	5 Del., Lac. & West. R.	97
$20,000 Forty R.C.C.C.	70	5 Nassau Bank	97¾
$1,000 C.N. McK.Co.Bk	90¾	20 Chatham Bank	97¾
$1,000 Chi. St. P. & F. du	75	20 Bank of New-York	199¾
Lac R. R.	48	20 Ocean Bank	80
1,000 Kinzarilla	89¾	20 New-York Ins. Co.	80¾
5,000 Chi. C.W. L. Bds	90	25 N. R. Fire Ins. Co.	183
		20 Pacific M. S. S. Co.	108¾

MONDAY, Nov. 1—P. M.

The Official Averages of the Banks in the City of New-York for the past week, ending Saturday, Oct. 30, the particulars of which are advertised by each Bank separately on another page of this paper, stand as follows:

	Oct. 30, 1858.	Oct. 30, 1857.	Oct. 30, 1856.
Capital	$63,510,000	$67,734,755	$67,734,755
Loans	95,317,756	126,028,252	124,274,223
Specie	12,522,441	24,707,817	22,051,420
Circulation	5,124,743	7,522,209	7,570,624
Gross Deposits	81,423,504	109,021,266	100,072,518
Exchanged	9,616,356	21,494,870	20,020,351
Undrawn	21,552,136	27,256,299	27,143,167
In Sub-Treasury	5,402,295	6,151,261	9,805,817

The Bank averages present a larger decrease of Specie than was generally anticipated; thus showing that the transfer in Coin to the Southern ports for the purchase of Exchange is more important than we had record of through the week. We find that one or more of the large Banks sent forward Gold to New-Orleans for this object on their own account, while others accommodated their correspondents in the same direction by discounting their collections. The whole movement is a healthy evidence of a return to active trade with the interior. Its influence will return to New-York in a few months, three fold, in the fall of Exchange on Europe and in the sale of Goods to and prompt collection of Money from the South and Southwest. The remarkable feature in the present average is the maintenance of the line of Undrawn Deposits. The balances are now heavier than at any time these six weeks, notwithstanding the increased clearances, as deducted from the gross line of Deposits.

To-day there is another decided decline in Exchange, which, for the Boston steamers, has been done at 109@109¼ for merchant, and 109¼@109¾ for bank and bankers' bills on London. The market is quite unsettled, most of the heavy remitters anticipating still lower rates. French bills are also weak, f.5.16¼@f.5.13¾ to the dollar. The business for this mail, unless more important tomorrow forenoon, will prove moderate. Several of the leading banking houses are receiving heavily from the South, where the export movement of Cotton is unusually early and free. The estimates for the crop have been enlarged by the very fine picking weather and the absence of frost.

In the Money Market there is a less activity in demand loans from the Stock Brokers. They continue to supply their wants at 3@4 ⅌ cent. ⅌ annum. At Bank there is more talk of better rates for the lender for Discounts, the free distribution of part of the heavy accumulation of Specie at this point to the South, being urged in favor of the reaction. At the same time this feeling is by no means general among the Bank officers, owing to the fact that outside lenders continue to seek prime lists of paper on low terms through the leading Bill Brokers. We quote short acceptances 4 ⅌ cent., and 6 to 5 months' paper 4½ to 7 ⅌ cent., according to classification.

On the Corn Exchange, to-day, the receipts of Grain and Flour were reported heavy in amount, and the market for [illegible] English news [illegible] for better prices abroad. Cotton is rather weak in this market, but [illegible] at the Southern ports at very steady prices.

The Stock Exchange, to-day, felt the combined influence of the heavy realizations of last week for the *Bull* account, and the new contracts which are being put out for a further decline by the opposite interest on the diminished Bank reserve. The signs of recovery and firmness on Saturday afternoon, passed off early in the day, and there were free sellers of the principal Railroads at a decline of ¼@1 ⅌ cent., the speculative business being divided principally between New-York Central, Galena, Rock Island and Toledo. The others sympathized in the decline. About 8,000 shares of Central were done at from 86 down to 85 ⅌ cent, with good buyers at the close at 85 ⅌ cent., the stock leaving off steady. Galena fell to 78¾ and Rock Island to 66¾@⅛, both being weakened by the reported traffic in October, which, on account of the dullness of the Grain trade at Chicago, will probably be light. The *short* interest in Galena has been growing in the market for several weeks past, and more than the usual activity is shown in the speculative sales. The dealings in Toledo were large, but the price less affected than for the other Western lines. Michigan Central weak; Michigan Southern, both common and preferred, rather steady, considering the weak tone of the general market, and Reading firm at the close at 52¼@¾ ⅌ cent. Both Pacific Mail and Panama shares were lower, the former 105¼ at the close, the latter, 119¼@120 ⅌ cent. In the Railway Bonds prices yielded ¼@¾ ⅌ cent. Illinois Centrals 95¼ ⅌ cent. In State Stocks heavy purchases were made of Missouris at 89¼@⅞. Tennessees and Virginias are about ¼ ⅌ cent. off the top rates of last week. The New Federal Loan 104⅞ ⅌ cent. The general market, after considerable excitement at the Second Board on the announcement of the reduced Bank reserve, closed with a steadier feeling. Several of the leading Brokers, whose dealers were sellers last week, on the first turn of prices, and realized a good part of the recent handsome advance in New-York Central and other leading shares and bonds, seem disposed to come in again as buyers.

The following has been handed to us by a stockholder of the Eighth-avenue Railroad:

The statement of the Eighth-avenue Railroad Company shows a capital of $600,000. Paid since organization, 12 ⅌ cent. ⅌ annum, in quarterly dividends. The last quarterly statement shows:

Receipts	$60,323 93
Expenses	39,464 54

Net profits for quarter ending Oct. 1, 1858 ... $20,909 66

The Company have a large amount of property—70 cars, 500 horses; road in the best condition, and the Company own more real estate than any other City railroad.

Money Circulars for Europe.

Per Steamer Europa, from Boston.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Nov. 1, 1858.

Our Stock market on the 26th ultimo, date of our last circular, exhibited a degree of firmness and activity which afforded every indication of a further advance in prices, but, as usual, after a rapid improvement, an increased supply of Stock was brought on the market, and the consequence has been a moderate reaction, which has effected solid securities, as well as those of a more speculative nature. This decline has, in some quarters, been partly attributed to the shipments of specie to the South, reaching, in the aggregate, about $2,500,000, and to the influence of the Central American imbroglio. State Stocks—Missouri 6s have declined 1¼; Tennessee 6s, ¼; Virginia 6s, ¾; North Carolina 6s, ¼, and California 7s 2 ⅌ cent. Sales of Indiana 5s at 92. For the new Government Loan 104⅞ is the closing quotation. City and County Bonds—There has been but a moderate business done in these, but prices are well sustained. We notice sales of Brooklyn 6s, Detroit Water Loan 7s, Cincinnati Water Loan 6s, Peoria 7s, School Fund and Louisville 6s, Railroad issues. Some St. Louis 7 ⅌ cent. County bonds have changed hands at a slight advance. Railroad Stocks—[illegible] regular, but generally firm. [illegible] Construction 7s have declined 2¼. Sale of [illegible] New-York Central 6s, '60, 2¼; and Erie 1st mortgage 1 ⅌ cent. Erie 2d Mortgage has advanced to Rule Construction. Sales of Erie 2d Mortgage, 1 ⅌ cent; Michigan Southern 7s, 1¼; Illinois Central 8s, 1¼; Reading 6s, 1¼; Michigan Southern 7s, 1¼; Milwaukee and Mississippi 1st Mortgages, 2; Wabash 1st Mortgage, 1; Erie 4th Mortgage sold at 50; and Galena and Chicago 1st Mortgage at 90¼, and 2d Mortgage, at 91 ⅌ cent. Railroad Shares—The decline is general, with a reduced movement, except for New-York Central, the sales of which exceed 39,000 shares. Erie has declined 1⅝; Reading, 1¼; New-York Central, 2¼; Panama, 3¼; Michigan Central, 2¾; Michigan Southern, 1⅛; Michigan Southern Preferred, 1¼; Illinois Central, 2¼; Cleveland and Toledo, 2¼; Rock Island, 3¼; Galena and Chicago, 5¼; Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, 1¼; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 1; Milwaukee and Mississippi, ¾; La Crosse and Milwaukee, ¼; Stonington, 1¼; Hudson River, 1⅝; Pacific Mail, 1¾. Money without quotable change, except for call loans, which stand 3@5 ⅌ cent.; first-class paper, 3¾@6 ⅌ cent.; second-class paper, 6@7 ⅌ cent. Exchanges—Rates lower, with a downward tendency. Principal sales on London, 109¾@109¾. Paris, 5.16¼@5.13¾. MARIE & KANZ.

OFFICIAL BANK STATEMENTS.

CONDITION OF CITY BANKS—OCT. 30.

Names of Banks.	Aver. am't of Loans & Dis.	Aver. am't of Specie.	Ave am't of Circulation.	Ave am't of Deposits.
Artisans' Bank	$900,847	$126,161	$95,843	$446,867
Am. Exchange Bk	6,219,733	1,638,216	237,132	6,943,806
Atlantic Bank	555,929	79,155	84,858	588,023
Bk. of America	6,487,800	2,160,264	192,077	6,720,600
Bk. of Commerce	12,348,421	3,607,679	1,078	8,454,899
Bk. of Commw'lth	1,845,606	177,491	134,808	1,340,377
Bk. of New-York	4,447,466	920,783	382,186	3,836,198
Bk. of N. America	1,685,974	285,148	78,600	1,672,915
Bk. of Republic	3,656,686	1,061,709	166,168	4,276,650
Bk. St. New-York	3,885,261	1,264,573	272,434	3,612,726
Broadway Bank	2,435,788	601,046	180,000	2,626,000
Bull's Head Bank	362,770	51,324	168,098	319,977
Butch. & Drov. Bk.	1,575,050	265,376	186,633	1,156,511
Chatham Bank	524,242	86,320	91,650	307,372
Chemical Bank	2,004,000	730,031	276,642	2,397,053
Citizens' Bank	736,249	136,303	148,031	612,018
City Bank	2,074,749	316,708	87,000	2,272,446
Continental Bank	2,474,768	546,769	133,576	3,161,263
Corn Exch. Bank	1,668,851	314,647	124,370	1,910,954
East River Bank	236,964	39,641	78,396	121,654
Fulton Bank	1,228,172	302,153	131,134	1,583,125
Greenwich Bank	620,628	126,076	123,594	620,628
Grocers' Bank	321,633	63,252	41,000	320,942
Hanover Bank	3,407,842	938,857	287,470	4,056,200
Imp. & Traders' Bk	2,524,000	598,457	301,846	1,694,000
Irving Bank	572,968	180,278	106,800	630,818
Leather Man. Bk	3,126,479	333,784	264,810	1,846,168
Manhattan Co.	4,982,966	1,118,828	893,637	4,812,063
Marine Bank	912,651	161,482	117,900	756,667
Market Bank	1,741,470	319,910	164,605	1,322,812
Mechanics' Bank	4,066,000	749,000	287,000	3,700,000
Mech. B'g Ass'n	326,102	181,748	71,021	320,000
Mech. & Trad. Bk.	799,418	153,848	129,431	692,896
Mercantile Bank	2,571,116	405,215	45,410	2,367,692
Merchants' Bank	5,840,741	1,419,361	218,783	5,882,446
Merch. Exch. Bk.	2,103,683	268,029	136,896	1,960,926
Metropolitan Bk.	7,139,833	1,205,183	230,098	5,383,016
Nassau Bank	1,096,309	284,000	177,100	1,000,100
National Bank	2,327,811	234,482	168,344	1,655,130
N. Y. County Bk.	391,897	37,862	82,545	292,214
N. Y. Dry Dock Co	422,410	68,610	150,534	198,468
N. Y. Exch. Bank	294,481	26,016	116,494	262,158
North River Bank	271,412	196,447	37,820	235,401
Ocean Bank	1,768,348	467,507	113,434	1,824,066
Oriental Bank	576,466	65,498	85,100	384,107
Pacific Bank	1,103,477	171,570	129,949	976,612
Park Bank	4,344,182	1,018,174	187,459	3,812,718
People's Bank	668,573	124,774	114,317	539,776
Phenix Bank	3,479,112	748,957	164,494	3,022,961
St. Nicholas Bank	1,093,304	208,104	96,426	903,060
Seventh Ward Bk	1,277,100	191,000	191,000	977,913
Shoe & Leath. Bk	5,260,228	1,025,045	86,535	4,171,976
Tradesmen's Bank	1,328,487	310,923	310,324	726,669
Union Bank	2,866,353	362,991	190,701	2,333,321

BANK FOOTINGS.

Loans	$126,093,580	Circulation	$7,522,989
Specie	28,707,317	Deposits	106,801,256

LOANS ON LAST STATEMENT.

	Oct. 23.		Oct. 30.
Artisans' Bank	$941,460	Manhattan Co.	$4,968,206
Am. Exchange Bk	6,108,779	Marine Bank	912,160
Atlantic Bank	538,032	Market Bank	1,320,802
Bk. of America	6,186,238	Mechanics' Bank	3,972,405
Bk. of Commerce	12,602,722	Mech. B'g Ass'n	322,703
Bk. of Commw'lth	1,040,829	Mech. & Trad. Bk.	797,430
Bk. of New-York	4,822,386	Mercantile Bank	2,660,307
Bk. of N. America	1,689,988	Merchants' Bank	6,014,679
Bk. of Republic	3,782,167	Merch. Exch. Bk.	2,148,119
Bk. St. New-York	3,832,132	Metropolitan Bank	7,698,303
Broadway Bank	2,374,177	Nassau Bank	1,020,630
Bull's Head Bank	362,263	National Bank	2,332,400
Butch. & Drov. Bk.	1,566,943	N. Y. County Bank	383,449
Chatham Bank	522,148	N. Y. Dry Dock Co	411,468
Chemical Bank	2,079,238	N. Y. Exch. Bank	296,610
Citizens' Bank	719,008	North River Bank	235,627
City Bank	1,866,800	Ocean Bank	1,851,234
Continental Bank	3,322,230	Oriental Bank	383,630
Corn Exch. Bank	1,631,766	Pacific Bank	1,113,443
East River Bank	236,618	Park Bank	4,120,468
Fulton Bank	1,604,144	People's Bank	683,304
Greenwich Bank	741,896	Phenix Bank	3,441,137
Grocers' Bank	320,810	St. Nicholas Bank	1,070,274
Hanover Bank	4,276,618	Seventh Ward Bk	1,278,352
Imp. & Traders' Bk	2,534,000	Shoe & Leather	5,241,782
Irving Bank	671,624	Tradesmen's Bank	1,276,180
Leather Man. Bk.	2,130,669	Union Bank	2,866,679
Total			$134,874,555

General Merchandise Imports.

Imports (other than Dry Goods and Specie) at the Port of New-York for the Week ending and including Oct. 30, 1858.

[The quantity is given in packages when not otherwise specified.]

GENERAL, GRASS AND SEEDS.	Pkgs.	Value.	METALS, &c.	Pkgs.	Value.
Dyestuffs	—	$[illegible]	Cutlery	12	$17,[illegible]
China	183	9,[illegible]	Gun Fixtures	6	1,[illegible]
Earthenware	1,003	24,[illegible]	Guns	20	5,215
Glass	9,330	16,076	Hardware	203	20,120
Glass Ware	183	4,030	Iron, Hoop, Band	12	2,[illegible]
Glass Plate	297	23,530	Iron, Pig	200	10,[illegible]
Glue, &c.	—	—	Iron, R. R. bars	3,[illegible]	39,100
Alkali	192	2,600	Iron, Sheet, Vas	99	4,705
Acids	70	4,[illegible]	Iron, Tubes	183	1,[illegible]
Ammonia, Sal.	47	3,[illegible]	Iron, other, unc.	1,601	71,[illegible]
Argols	40	1,412	Lead, Pig	19,[illegible]	136,[illegible]
Barytes	20	147	Metal Goods	108	18,[illegible]
Blas. Powders	400	6,[illegible]	Needles	1	1,[illegible]
Borax	50	848	Old Metal	—	1,[illegible]
Castor Oil	815	12,373	Platina	2	2,[illegible]
Camphor	100	2,[illegible]	Plated Ware	3	770
Chalk	—	[illegible]	Percussn. Caps	18	3,271
Cream Tartar	108	27,[illegible]	Saddlery	12	2,[illegible]
Chicory	400	8,112	Steel	2,361	28,[illegible]
Cochineal	49	1,[illegible]	Tacks	30,[illegible]	12,[illegible]
Gums, Crude	623	10,404	Silver Ware	2	320
Gum, Arabic	561	13,169	Tin, boxes	30,710	186,[illegible]
Gum, Copaiva	26	336	Tin, slabs	1,[illegible]	12,[illegible]
Indigo	160	22,810	Wire	220	2,[illegible]
Iodine Pot	3	1,[illegible]	Zinc	1,407	60,[illegible]
Lac Dye	45	5,[illegible]	SPIRITS.		
Lic. Paste	468	18,[illegible]	Canda	—	18,[illegible]
Laudy	41	172,171	Cognac	—	[illegible]
Magnesia	94	800	Ginger	—	2,[illegible]
Oil	34	3,641	Mace	—	712
Oils, Cod	106	9,644	Mustard	—	2,[illegible]
Oils, Ess.	4	445	Nutmegs	—	19,[illegible]
Oils, Linseed	112	7,[illegible]	STATIONERY, &c.		
Oils, Olive	808	4,[illegible]	Books	128	38,040
Opium	10	9,140	Engravings	28	1,[illegible]
Paints	1	26,725	Paper	63	4,[illegible]
Potash, Byd	31	4,[illegible]	Other	41	8,[illegible]
Phosphorus	41	2,[illegible]	WOODS.		
Quinine	15	1,830	Lignum Vitæ	—	110
Reg. Antimony	40	3,780	Logwood, lbs.	880	3,[illegible]
Rhubarb	21	1,[illegible]	Mahogany	—	[illegible]
Soda, Bicarb.	4,760	42,[illegible]	Rosewood	—	1,[illegible]
Soda, Sal.	407	3,[illegible]	Sandal Wood	—	1,[illegible]
Soda, Ash	1,207	32,931	Fustic	—	1,[illegible]
Sponges	8	1,[illegible]	Willow	—	140
Sugar of Lead	23	1,072	Other	—	135
Tong. Beans	4	110	MISCELLANEOUS.		
Vermillion	25	1,350	Baskets	80	2,[illegible]
Whiting	670	850	Bags	—	11,127
Other	—	8,[illegible]	Boxes	—	527
FURS.			Buttons	33	16,646
Furs	238	91,[illegible]	Burr Stones	—	2,618
FRUITS, &c.			Clay	—	1,[illegible]
Currants	—	6,980	Cheese	116	5,[illegible]
Figs	—	1,694	Clocks	—	16,425
Lemons	—	2,[illegible]	Coal, tons	3,203	10,313
Nuts	—	7,763	Corks	—	6,040
Oranges	—	1,945	Clocks	15	4,[illegible]
Prunes	—	4,867	Cocoa, bags	300	4,[illegible]
Raisins	—	5,[illegible]	Coffee, bags	22,[illegible]	142,[illegible]
Sauces & Pres.	—	5,[illegible]	Emery Paper	16	[illegible]
INDIA MANUFACTS.			Fancy Goods	—	15,[illegible]
Mathematical	1	20	Fish	—	[illegible]
Musical	60	9,[illegible]	Gunny Cloth	1,[illegible]	27,[illegible]
Optical	3	1,[illegible]	Hair	11	2,[illegible]
Surgical	3	317	Hair Cloth	13	2,[illegible]
JEWELRY, &c.			Hemp	12,[illegible]	180,[illegible]
Jewelry	32	22,041	Machinery	4	1,[illegible]
Watches	32	10,150	Marble Mantels	—	1,[illegible]
LEATHER, SILKS, &c.			Matches	20	[illegible]
Saddles	1	140	Matting	2,[illegible]	[illegible]
Bridles	4	1,[illegible]	Oil Paintings	15	11,[illegible]
Boots, Shoes	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	Paper Hangs	12	1,[illegible]
Hides, Undressed	287	12,[illegible]	Plaster	—	1,[illegible]
Hides, Dressed	—	481,[illegible]	Perfumery	40	4,[illegible]
Leather	26	2,[illegible]	Pipes	—	3,[illegible]
Leather, Patent	20	3,941	Rags	2,[illegible]	27,[illegible]
LIQUORS, WINES, &c.			Rattan	—	17,[illegible]
Ale	876	9,[illegible]	Shot	—	4,[illegible]
Brandy	48	3,[illegible]	Tinsel	13,[illegible]	28,[illegible]
Beer	30	702	Soap, Rosin	4,[illegible]	21,[illegible]
Cordials	10	240	Sugar, Brs. & Ind.	1,[illegible]	212,141
Gin	604	34,467	Sugar, Ex. & Ref.	1,[illegible]	20,[illegible]
Porter	345	3,[illegible]	Tea, Black	311	1,[illegible]
Rum	10	2,[illegible]	Teas, Green	—	5,[illegible]
Whisky	—	8,[illegible]	Tobacco	1,[illegible]	5,[illegible]
Wines	1,116	11,[illegible]	Toys	18	1,[illegible]
Champagne	2,[illegible]	32,[illegible]	Tobacco	2,[illegible]	22,[illegible]
SUGARS, &c.			Waste	731	20,[illegible]
Brown Sugar	9	1,044	Wool, bales	160	45,[illegible]
Clayed, Ass'd	67	5,[illegible]	Other	—	4,[illegible]
Cosper	—	32,[illegible]			
Total Gen.					$2,[illegible]
Dry Goods					1,[illegible]
Total all entries					$3,[illegible]

BANKING AND FINANCIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

No. 40 EXCHANGE-PLACE, New-York, Oct. 28, 1858.

☞ STOCK EXCHANGE NOTICE.—I have this day associated with me, as partner in my business, Mr. H. BOSTWICK, member of the Stock Exchange, and Mr. H. TRACY ARNOLD.

The business will hereafter be conducted under the name and firm of SATTERLEE & CO.

GEORGE B. SATTERLEE.

The undersigned continue the Banking and Stock Commission Business of George B. Satterlee at No. 40 Exchange-place.

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